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Monday

Stop

In the 1960s robots seemed about to walk all over the industrial world Our series shows how the march of the machines may have been halted.



The nationalized industry chief who tried to reconcile efficiency with happiness". Sir. Peter Parker bowing out after seven years in charge of British Rail.

Cats You and your cat: Modern Times looks at a great British love affair.

Bats

John Woodcock on the highlight of the one-day county cricket season. Kent v Somerset in the NatWest Trophy final.

### France may host talks on Lebanon

France may be ready to host Lebanese peace talks on board an arreraft carrier sailing to the region. President Gemayel is considering the formation of a new Cabinet to prevent further sectarian fighting

#### Labour paper move blocked

TUC moves to set up a popular newspaper sympathetic to the Labour movement, seem doom to lail at next week's congress.
Members of the General Council have agreed to block a proposal to usk unions to provide £6.7m for a launch fund TUC report, page 2

#### Sweet rivalry

The Governments' imminent oproval of two new artifical ubstitutes for sugar is expected to produce unprecedented commeral competition and allegations Page 3 t health risks

#### Jesuits rebuked

the Pope told Jesuits to conduct themselves in a manner worthy of their vocation. He was addressing a general congregation which will elect the Order's superior Page 5

#### Spy chief ousted Admiral Glamar Schmaehling

the head of West German counter-intelligence, has been dismissed after admitting a "relationship" with a woman member of the army.

#### Tax blow

One sixth of those who pay income tax through the Pay As You Earn (PAYE) system receive additional demands from the

**Police doubts** Computers do not provide an way of solving crime and can sometimes be a hindrance, the

#### Association of Chief Police Officers has been told Page 2 Stubble trouble

An MP has called for an end to stubble and straw burning after strong winds caused a "black-storm" over Kent Page 8

### Three drown

One yachtman died and another was rescued from mountainous was off the Cornish coast. Two people were swept out to sea in co

Crossword final Twenty addicts gather in London tomorrow for the national final of The Times Collins Dictionaries

#### crossword championship Page 3 Four in five

frustrated by rain

Malcolm Marshall took four wickets in five balls, including a hat-trick, for Hampshire against Somerset, Essex and Middlesex, the leading contenders for the county championship, were both Page 17

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## US accuses Russia of terrorism and lies

## spy plane, says Moscow

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● The Kremlin claimed last night that the Victor Popov, the Soviet Ambassador in South Korean civilian aircraft which disappeared near Sakhalin island early on Thursday was being used as a spy plane

It admitted that Soviet fighters had

fired "warning shots with tracer shells along the route of the plane" but avoided saying whether the aircraft was hit President Reagan cut short his holiday

and on television accused Moscow of a "terrorist late" and of lying about the circumstances of the disaster Geofficer Howe summoned Mr Sir Geofficer Howe summoned Mr Sir Geofficer Howe summoned Mr

explanation, demanding an apology, demanding compensation, demanding punish-

London, to the Foreign Office to hear Britain's "strong condemnation" of the Soviet action • He said: "We are demanding an

ment of those responsible for the decision to shoot down the plane

## Loss of human life admitted by Tass

The Soviet Union yesterday "unidentified plane" had "rudely said the South Korean airliner which disappeared near Sakhalin violated" Soviet state borders and penetrated deep into Soviet penetrated deep into Soviet airspace. The aircraft had flown 400 kilometres (310 miles) over Soviet territory and spent more than two hours above the Damchatka peninsula, the Sea of Okhotsk and Sakhalin island. Island early on Thursday morning was being used as a spy plane and was not an ordinary aircraft. A Tass statement admitted there had been "loss of human lite" and said the deaths were due

towards the Sea of Japan.

It had remained "within the observation range of radio

location means, for about 10

minutes, after which it could be

Diplomats said the statement

amounted to an admission that the airliner had crashed or exploded after being intercepted and fired on by Soviet fighters.

But it was an attempt to turn the tables by blaming the tragedy

on the US on the grounds that the

South Korean jumbo jet had not-

strayed accidently into Soviet airspace but was gathering intelli-

gence in a highly-sensitive mili-

Canada and

Japan back

**UN** move

From Zoriana Pysariwsky

New York

Japan and Canada yesterday joined the United States in

requesting an urgent meeting of the United Nations Security

Canada said the destruction of

an unarmed civil aircraft and the

killing of innocent passengers, including a number of Canadians.

was deplorable. It called the

action a flagrant violation of

international civil aviation and

international law.

By bringing the issue before the

council the United States means

to reinforce the Soviet Union's disgrace in the international

community and question whether

But the Reagan Administration

is expected to find it difficult to

win enough support for a formal condemnation of the apparent

Soviet action as long as there is less than conclusive evidence that

the highest levels of the Soviet

command structure ordered the

destruction of the aircraft.
Nevertheless, most diplomats

neverments, most diplomats here feel the damage has been done, particularly after the unsatisfactory explanation Questions are also being raised as to how well the Soviet armed

Any resolution condemning the

Soviets is guaranteed to produce a

By Michael Baily

Transport Editor

State for Transport, yesterday appointed Mr Bob Reid, the

present chief executive of British Rail, as chairman in succession

of Sir Peter Parker. He also

announced that Sir Richard Cave, of Thora EMI, would be

his deputy.

It had been widely expected

that the appointment would be

the other way round, but Sir

Richard apparently felt that the chairman's job should be full-time and he was not prepared to

Mr Reid was telephoned on Thursday night by Mr King and told of his appointment. He is at present on holiday climbing in

the southern Swiss Alps.
Mr Reid, who is aged 62, is a

life-long railway man, shy but

tough, whose appointment will be greatly welcomed in the rail industry. He is the first man with

a railway background to hold the

job since Sir Henry Johnson and Sir Stanley Raymond in the 1960s.

accept it on that basis.

Mr Tom King, Secretary of

forces are controlled.

veto from them.

Moscow can be trusted.

observed no more

or came and the deams were due to "criminal disregard" on the part of those who had used a passenger jet for intelligence gathering. The statement repeated charges made by Tass on Thursday - the first Soviet comment for 18 hours that the Korean jet had been flying without navigation lights and did not react to radio contact. The statement admitted for the first time that Soviet fighters had fired warning shots "with tracer shells along the route of the plane", but did not say whether the aircraft had been hit.

Tass said that it was "natural" for Soviet air defences to scramble fighters to intercept the aircraft and try to direct it to the nearest Soviet airfield. A Soviet The statement, issued just as an emergency session of the UN Security Council was about to start, said that soon after the warning shots had been fired the "intruder plane" had left Soviet airspace and continued flying tenerals the Sec of Japan.

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aircraft had fired warning shots over Sakhalin when the intruder ignored all signals.

Tass referred to the international outcry over the incident as a "hullabaloo" raised in the US and some other countries "over the disappearance of a South-Korean plane on a flight from New York to Seoul".

The itinerary and nature of the doomed jumbo's flight were "not accidental" and it was indicative that the Americans had followed the progress of the flight "in the most attentive manner". The news agency said the Central Intelligence Agency was clearly involved and added: "It it was an ordinary flight of a civil aircraft which was under continuous ovbservation, why were no steps The Tass statement said an taken from the American side to

emarks since coming to office,

President Reagan yesterday accused the Soviet Union of

telling flagrant lies about the Korean airline disaster and cast

doubts about Moscow's credi-

bility in future arms reduction

negotiations.

The Pentagon has despatched

an Awacs air surveillance aircraft

to northern Japan to help with search and rescue operations. So

not been located. The unarmed

Awacs was accompanied by an

The United States yesterday told the Soviet Union of its desire

to help search for the aircraft if it

is found in Soviet territorial waters, but the State Department

said the Soviet Union had not

Mr Reagan cut short his holiday in California to preside

over the emergency meetings with top officials in Washington. He

accused the Soviet Union of committing a "terrorist act" in shooting down the Korean Airlines 747 jumbo jet with 269

passengers and crew on board.
In a prepared statement before

Man of steel behind Parker

Top job for lifelong railman

Mr Reid: Appointment was

a surprise

His salary will be £63,000 a

year, the same as Sir Peter Parker was paid. His present salary is £38,000. Sir Richard's

salary will be based on a full-time

Although British Rail has

He was the driving force

behind Sir Peter Parker during last year's confrontation with the

fought-off the threat of an outside "hit-man", Mr Reid should not

wage of £50,000.

he seen as a soft option.

escort of five F15 fighters.

President Reagan

end this gross violation of the airspace of the Soviet Uninon and get the plane back to an international flight route?"

The American authorities had resorted to "dirty insinuations" about the Soviet Union's role in the incident, Tass said and asked why they had not tried to establish contact with Moscow "even though there was ample time for this".

American officials had earlier pointed out that the Russians had made no attempt to avert the tragedy by clearing up the matter with Washington or Tokyo during the two and a half hours that the jumbo was being shadowed and tracked by Soviet radar and The Tass statement said "There

is reason to believe that those who organized this rovocation deliberately desired a further aggraof the international situation by striving to smear the Soviet Union, sow hostility towards it and cast aspersions on Soviet peace-loving policies." The agency said it had been authorized to state the Soviet leadership's regret over the loss of human life "and at the same time its resolute condemnation of those who consciously or as the result of criminal disregard - have allowed the death of people and are now trying to use the occurrence for unseemly political

residenting, which spent most of yesterday in emergency session

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**Angry Reagan sends Awacs** 

and F15s to search area

From Nicholas Ashford, Washington

beings?

"What can be said about Soviet

credibility when they so flagrangly lie about such a hemous act? What can be the scope of

legitimate mutual discourse with

a state whose values permit such

atrocities? And what are we to

es one set of standards for itself

and another for the rest of humankind?"

The President was speaking as

pressure was mounting among Congressmen for the US to take

retaliatory action against the

Soviet Union. A congressman, Mr Lawrence McDonald (Democrat,

Georgia) chairman of the right-wing John Birch Society, was

among at least 51 Americans who

The US has already called for a meeting of the United Nations

Security Council to consider the

incident, which has driven Soviet-

American relations to their lowest

level since the Russian invasion

structure which gives British

Rail's various trading operations autonomy and direct responsi-

The appointment came only 2

week before Sir Peter leaves on

Friday after having been chair-

Sir Richard Cave, aged 63, is a big man in personality and physique who besides sharing the

chairmanship of Thorn EMI (he

moves to a non-executive post on

joining British Rail) is also chairman of the Industrial Society, a director of Thames

Mr Reid's appointment is until January, 1987, when he will be 65; Sir Richard's to October,

Mr Raymond Buckton, general secretary of Asief, the train drivers' union, said: "I am

surprised that they have chosen a man like Bob Reid who did

everything in his power in 1982

to smash down industrial re-lations within our industry" (the

Press Association reports).

Television, and Tate and Lyle.

were killed in the disaster.

peace and global disarmament what, if any, steps it intends to

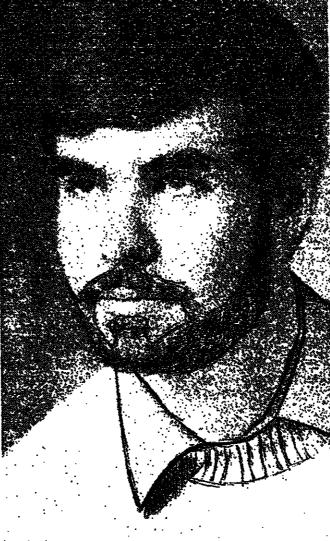
In his toughest anti-Soviet broadly trumpets its vision of

far the wreckage of the aircrat has make of a regime which establish-

boarding Air Force One to fly to
Washington, Mr Reagan said:
"The world notes the stark contrast that exists between Soviet words and deeds. What can we think of a regime that so of Afghanistan.

Referring to the UN meeting, the President said the Soviet action "should not be compounded through silence or legal distortion of the evidence now at hand".

Diplomats said that the Soviet



British victim: Mr lan Powrie (above), aged 24, was the Briton killed in the Korean airline disaster. He was on his way to South Korea to take up a senior appointment with the American engineering firm he had worked for in New Jersey for the past year. Friends, relatives and colleagues have paid tribute to him as an athlete, an artist and as a talented civil engineer with a brilliant future.

Mr Powrie studied at Greshs School and then went on to ams School and then went on to gain a double first in civil engineering at Cambridge Uni-versity. He used, to spend his holidays helping to build roads in

So far the US has not revealed

A brief account of the incident

has been rejected as being completely inadequate by the

President Reagan was due to

hold a crisis meeting with members of his National Security

Council as soon as he got back to

Washington. Although the airline

disaster was the main subject to

be discussed, aides said the meeting would also review the

● TOKYO: Oil specimens re-trieved from a 100-yard-long oil

slick found on Friday 33 miles

tested by Japan's Maritime Safety

incident from Moscow.

State Department.

situation in Lebanon.

Japanese officials said.

At Cambridge Mr Powrie rowed for Selwyn College and was a painter of note. He studied at Berkley University in Califor-nia before going to New Jersey.

His father, Mr David Powrie, who works for the World Bank in Washington, said he was devastated by his son's death. Recalling a recent weekend visit by his son, he said "we will now in the baye to live with his just have to live with his

Dundee-born Miss Mary Jane Hendrie, aged 25, who emigrated te Canada 16 years ago, was also among the passengers. She was travelling to Japan to take up a ob on the stock market.

By Henry Stanhope Diplomatic Correspondent

and yet so callously and quickly take in response to the disaster. commits a terrorist act to sacrifice the lives of innocent human awaiting a full explanation of the which was sent by Mr Andrei Gromyko, the Soviet Foreign Minister, on Thursday afternoon

Russian representatives were made conscious of the inter national sense of outrage.

north of Moneron island are being Agency to determine if the fuel came from the Korean airliner, Mr Kozo Sakamoto, an official at the agency's office at Otaru, on Hokkaido, said results from the oil test would be completed today.

### Howe puts forward 5 demands

Their half-hour together resembled other confrontations throughout Western capitals as

Sir Geoffrey said later on BBC Radio: "We are demanding an explanation, demanding an apology, demanding compensation for what has happened, demanding punishment of those responsible for the decision to shoot the airliner down and demanding measures to prevent such things

to add to the "inadequate" statement earlier made by Tass but undertook to make the Britisl views known to his Government. He was certainly left in no doubt as to what these viwes were as the Foreign Office issued an official statement claiming "no possible justification" for the

Sir Geoffrey Howe, the Foreign Secretary, summoned Mr Victor Popov, Soviet Ambassador to Britain, to the Foreign Office vesterday to hear Britain's "strong condemnation" of the Soviet

ever happening again".

Mr Popov had been unwilling

Hongkong residents.

#### Ten patrol boats were continuing the search for wreckage outside tragedy in which 269 died, including one Briton and II Soviet territorial waters, he said. A US Air Force spokesman said a Hercules C130 joined the Continued on back page, col 7 search with the Awacs aircraft. Coalition parties pledge

From Christopher Walker, Jerusalem

support for Shamir

Only hours after being elected to succeed Mr Menachem Begin as leader of the Herut Party Mr Yitzhak Shamir, the foreign Minister, yesterday made rapid progress in his efforts to hold together the existing Likud coalition and become Israel's seventh prime minister.

Showing a new public confidence after his victory over Mr David Levy, the younger chal-lenger, Mr Shamir, who is 67, had by last night secured a written undertaking from the present coalition members which would give his, new government a

working majority.

Although the undertaking is not binding it was considered to be sufficient basis to thwart efforts by the main opposition Labour Party to form a rival left-wing coalition. Mr Shamir predicted that within a week he would be able to put his Cabinet before the Knesset for a vote of confidence.

Mr Shamir hinted strongly that a new general election would have to be held before the scheduled dete in 1985. Next spring is a time frequently mentioned.

Immediately on securing his new post just before 2am yesterday Mr Shamir pledged to maintain the policy of expanding Bank. He also pleased members of the Herut central committee by announcing his willingness to hand the leadership back to Mr

There was speculation that the appointment of a Shamir Government would see a return to the political limelight of Mr Ariel Sharon, the former Defence Minister who was discredited by the Kahan Commission report on the Beirut masacre. He played a key role in securing Mr Shamir's

Begin at any time that he wanted

Against the frenzied political atmosphere caused by the co-alition-building, the Israeli Army was once again finalizing plans for the partial withdrawal from Lebanon which could spark a new wave of violence in the Chouf mountains overlooking Beirut. The pullback is expected to begin within the next 72 hours.

Men in the news, page 5

## Surprise jobless fall a boost for Government

By Frances Williams, Economics Correspondent

After adjusting for seasonal year earner and at their nightest factors the number of adults out of work – the best guide to number of unfilled jobs is underlying trends – fell by 6,700 generally believed to be about in August to 2,941,500, or one in eight of the labour force. The figures allow for the impact of is clouded by uncertainty over the schemes that have taken several prospects for growth. The thousand older men out of the Government is hoping that if the

ly cheering for ministers because and Social Research, yesterday's they come after a string of gloomy figures may mark only a hiccup in statistics over the past month on the relentle economic growth, industrial production, and investment. These The nation

tant, however, to appear cuphoric gloomy still. yesterday. Mr Norman Tebbit, Secretary of State for Employment, said the figures confirmed that the trend of rising unemploy-ment was moderating markedly. but cautioned against interpreting one month's figures as signalling a sharp chamge in the long-term

were 12 per cent up on the corresponding period last year.

The drop hetween Market and the corner from Trially turned the c turned the corner from rising to falling unemployment", he said. Nevertheless. Whitehall officials are quietly confident that the unemployment picture is improv- States was unchanged last month ing significantly. Over the past six at 4.5 per cent of the workforce,

The Government's economic by 17,000 a month, compared policies received a welcome and with 28,000 a month in the unexpected boost yesterday with previous six months.

news that the underlying total of the unemployed in the United Kingdon fell last month for the Striggion in almost for the star of the unemployed in the United Striggion in almost for the star of the unemployed in the United Striggion in almost for the star of the unemployed in the United Striggion in almost for the star of the unemployed in the United Striggion in almost for the unemployed in the United Striggion in almost for the unemployed in the United Striggion in almost for the unemployed in the United Striggion in almost for the unemployed in the United Striggion in almost for the unemployed in the United Striggion in almost for the unemployed in the United Striggion in almost for the unemployed in the United Striggion in the U are more than 40 per cent up on a first time in almost four years.

After adjusting for seasonal year earlier and at their highest year earlier and at their highest.

economy grows, as predicted, by The unadjusted unemployment about 21/2 per cent over the next

The unadjusted unemployment total, including school-leavers also fell by nearly 10,000 last month to 3,221,783 from 3,231,720 in July, the first August drop since 1979.

The lastest figures are especially because the cheering for ministers because figures may mark only a hiccup in the relentless upward climb in

The national institute predicted have led many outside analysts to last week that adult uncemploy-suggest that the recovery is running out of steam.

The Government was reluctional institute processing the natural relationship to t

Confirmation of the fragile and patchy nature of the recovery came vesterday with official figures showing new housing starts in the latest three months down by 13 per cent on the previous three months, allowing

The drop between May and July was almost entirely the result of a sharp fall in public housing starts. Unemployment in the United

months unemployment had risen with 10.7 million out of work. BA Boeing decision

disappoints Airbus By Michael Baily, Transport Editor

British airways confirmed vesterday that it would not order he new 150-seat European Airbus A320 for the present, but may do so in five years' time.

The BA board decided to lease

fleet of Boeing 737s with finance from a consortium of banks to provide short-term replacements for its fleet of Tridents on domestic shuttle and European routes which will contravene new noise regulations in 1986.

at first with options for a further 17 later on fixed rentals renewable annually. A consortium of British, European, and United States banks led by the Chemical Bank is

providing the finance.

The decision comes as disappointment, though hardly a surprise, to Airbus Industries, of which British Aerospace is a 20 per cent partner, which badly needs firm orders to get the A320 off the drawing board and into the

But it could not be in service before 1988, anyway, and Lord King, the chairman of BA, has made clear that if it fulfils



Lord King: Keeping options open

expectations then BA will be interested, particularly if it has Rolls Royce engines.

The two other contenders for BA's eventual £400m order are Boeing and McDonnell Douglas, both of whom, like Airbus, offered attractive leasing deals for the interim. By going for bank finance. BA has kept them all at arm's length and its options open.



Entente cordiale

FOR GENTLEMEN

## TUC calls for revamp of Labour policies to attract the electorate

try to revamp the public image of the labour movement after the disastrous general election verdict

At its pre-conference meeting in Blackpool, the general council
agreed without dissent to support a composite motion that rejects the use of industrial action for party political purposes and calls for an objective reappraisal of

Conscious of the Government's intention to legislate soon on the internal affairs of unions, the TUC insists in the motion that the unions should be strong and independent but should also accurately reflect the wishes and aspirations of their members".
Unions not affiliated to the Labour Party have played a leading role in putting together the policy initiative which argues that the Congress cannot ignore

the lessons of the general election. It "recognizes, with deep concern, that many trade union members and their families failed to vote for the economic and social policies agreed by successive congresses, and deeply regrets the inability of both wings of the movement to succeed in getting across to the people in the last election their demand for jobs and the regeneration of industry". Delegates are being asked to circulated to more than 100 reject political strikes but to affiliated unions next year so that

homes for children, the elderly, disabled, and mentally handi-

The action is likely to affect

children's homes worst because they have a higher turnover than other homes and more of their

residential social workers belong

to the National and Local Government Officers' Associ-

ation (Nalgo), which organized

claim for premium payments for

overtime, shift working, irregular hours and Bank holiday working, and for a reduction in the basic

working week from 39 to 35

Premium payments would

bring social workers' conditions

into line with those of manual

workers in residential homes. The

reduction in the working week would give them the same basic

The employers, who broke off the seventh round of negotiations

in June, say that the varied working patterns of residential

social workers have already been

recognized in their basic pay and

their working week was reduced

by one hour last year after

government workers.

The dispute is over Nalgo's

the ballot.

Social workers ban

overtime in homes

By Pat Healy, Social Services Correspo

TUC leaders have decided to record their belief "that democ-try to revamp the public image of racy does not begin and end with put to next year's congress in the labour movement after the placing a vote in a ballot box at a Brighton. general election and to accept that

TUC leaders have been told to

principles of modern trade unionism and the steps required for unions to prosper and recruit new members-particularly young

expected to receive overwhelming support, expects that the TUC will continue to work closely with the Labour Party through the joint liaison committee to draw up policies to put before the electorate when the Torics seek a mandate for a third term of office.

The haison committee should

continue to work out "a positive programme of action for the recovery of Britain which reflects the concerns of working people", Refinery fire out the motion adds. The council is also asked to

trade unions have historically required a major political arm to achieve their objectives."

The general council was instructed to examine urgently why the unions failed to persuade members to support their policies.

The landscape was accept that the move the motion. It also has the support of the civil and Public Services Association, who has been a leading figure in the move to swing the TUC back to industrial rather than political motion. It also has the support of the civil and Public Services Association, who has been a leading figure in the move the motion. It also has the support of the Civil and Public Services Association, who has been a leading figure in the move to swing the TUC back to industrial rather than political arm to achieve their objectives." Mr David Basnett, chairman of the TUC economic committee and of the political pressure group, Trade unions for Labour Victory.

Scotland Yard detectives appealed

yesterday for help from passengers on a south London commuter train who

may have glanced through their

Aaron Lee, of Abercairn Road,

Streatham, was stabbed as he played

on waste ground near the London to

Brighton railway line on Thursday

evening. The alarm was raised by a

boy, aged 15, who ran from the waste

ground, often used by local children,

and stopped a passing adult.

When the police arrived at the waste ground, behind Glenister Park

Road, they found the child's body and

his bicycle near by. Three hours later the boy's stepfather reported him

Computers do not provide an

Officers said yesterday.

Mr Roger Birch, Chief Constable of Sussex, where a big inquiry is under way into a sexual assault on a child, told a press

conference at Lancashire police

eadquarters that it had been

tempting to accept the offer of a computer in the hunt for the boy's

He said: "Then I had to look at

carriage windows and witnessed the

murder of a boy aged eight.

But the policy motion, which is Fraud charges

Three men from south London were charged with conspiring to defraud at Horseferry Road Magistrates Court after the discovery of forged copies of electricity and road tax savings stamps valued at £3m. Bryan Lynch, aged 29; Edward Parton, aged 18, and James Jones aged 27, were all remanded on bail.

Firemen yesterday finally won their battle to put out a fire at a storage tank that had contained more than 10 million gallons of prepare its statement on the principles of modern trade unionism in time for it to be crude oil. The fire was at the circulated to more than 100 Amoco refinery in Milford Haven. Seven fireman were hurt.

## Union rebuff for SDP

By Our Labour Editor

ential social workers in change their position and or children, the elderly, appealed to Nalso members to and mentally handithink again before taking indus-The Social Democratic Party is capped will begin industrial trial action. September 12 after an overwhelming vote in favour the effects would be noticed of banning overtime and quickly as residential workers mions on labour law reform.

> The union hopes that the ban proposed by Mr Norman Tebbit, Secretary of State for Employon admissions will force local authorities to turn to voluntary or private homes at greater expense Nalgo said that there would be no exemptions from the ad-

missions ban, although the British Association of Social Workers (BASW) is asking its members to ask Nalgo members to set up nev procedures. Mr John Cypher, general secretary of BASW, said that his

reached the end of their 39-hour

week. It said that residential

social workers were normally on

duty for 60 hours a week.

association supported the residen-tial social workers' claim but he was worried about the position of children needing emergency admission to a home after being made subject to a Place of Safety

Thatcher visit

Mrs Margaret Thatcher will have talks with President Reagan and Mr Pierre Trudeau during a million, many of whom were visit to the United States and trade unionists." The employers made clear it was announced from 10 yesterday that they would not Downing Street yesterday.

## College says county will save it from closure

By Lucy Hodges, Education Corresponden

Fleetwood nautical college in however, that even if the college Lancashire said yesterday that it did lose all its advanced work it would not close, as suggested last month by government advisers, because it had the full support of the county council.

Mr Roger Scholes, its principal, said that talks were being held with the regional advisory council about the possibility of Fleetwood collaborating with Liverpool colleges on advanced work

It was the advanced neutical courses that the National Advisory Body for Local Authority Higher Education said should close at Fleetwood. It was suggested as a result, that the whole college might have to close. wrote Mr Scholes said yesterday, work.

would not have to close because the bulk of its work was in nonadvanced further education courses, which Lancashire County Council would continue to fund.

These courses include marine electronics (radio and radar). Students have no trouble in finding work with such qualifi-

Advanced courses form only 13 per cent of the college's work, but it is an important sector and one the college does not want to lose. After the advisory board's recommendation 13 companies to support Fleetwood's

## overtures

industrial relations legislation

rules for internal union democ

can get lost."

In his letter, the SDP leader says: "We would welcome an opportunity to meet you or other presentatives of your union to hear your views. The SDP obtained 3.5 million votes at the last election and, in alliance with

Mr Terence Duffy, president of the engineering workers' union, said that he was not interested in meeting Dr Owen. Mr Arthur Scargill, leader of the National Union of Mineworkers, said: "We do not intend to talk to the Government and even less so to

The party's plan also provides for "opting in" instead of "opting out" on the trade union political levy, and for similar arrange-ments to ballot shareholders of private companies which make payments to political parties.

Union leaders are almost as Dr Owen as at the general nature of the proposal itself. Dr Owen's letters are addressed to general secretaries on first name terms, which last night they were at pains to deny that such a relationship ever existed.

heading for a sharp rebuff to a request for top-level talks with the Dr David Owen, leader of the SDP, has written to the general secretaries of 65 trade unions affiliated to the Labour Party asking for discussions on the

He has enclosed a six-page summary of the Social Demo-crats' plans for changing the unions, which TUC leaders argue go even further than the Conservatives' plans to impose new

Únion leaders who are in Blackpool for next week's trades union congress have dismissed the invitation. A typical reaction came from Mr Alan Tuffin, the postmen's leader, who said: "As ar as we are concerned. Dr Owen

TUC leaders are evidently unimpressed by that argument, and the reaction has been broadly similar right across the trade union political spectrum.

surprised at what is regarded as an unduly personal approach from

#### talked about it in the operations room, we decided that it would not have been justified." Ther would have been prob-You could buy the hardware off the shelf but it takes many months' application to programme the computer", he said. They did not replace the human element of the aid the public gave lems in training people and in converting earlier records, both of which would have hindered the

waste, Slater says Union of Seamen's leader, said dockyards where it would be yesterday that his union had "smuggled" out and dumped at secret Ministry of Defence sea by submarines.
documents which, he claimed, Mr Slater said B owed that Britain was evading the international moratorium on

dumping nuclear waste at sea. He said the secret minutes which appeared to be the ones obtained by the environmental pressure groups, Greenpeace and Friends of the Earth - showed that the forces had been called in to get round the moratorium and the ban imposed by British

transport unions.
One way, he believed, was for

Mr James Slater, the National nuclear waste to go through naval

Mr Slater said Britain was now He added that the secret document showed that the Government was intent on ignoring the two-year moratorium agreed by the London Dumping Convention, a United Nations-sponsored agency that regulates the disposal of ardous wastes at sea. He said the Government had

repeatedly claimed that the waste which was being dumped was mainly from hospitals.

## BR freight hive-off call

By Our Transport Editor

Part pivatization of British Dallison said. Rail's £500m freight business was advocated by the Freight Transport Association yesterday. Full privatization was recognized as too big a political step, Mr Ian Dallison, president of the associ-

But industry would welcome the hiving off of rail freight into a separate company free from interference and government control and with access to private finance for new investment, Mr

He was introducing a new association study on rail freight which makes clear industry's keen desire for improved speed, reliability, and costs to combat private hauliers and take freight off the roads.

The study says that if, as expected, British Rail closes the Carlisle to Carnforth line a dozen private sidings, including one that cost £3m to build, will be made

Owen hopes for wide support

## Devolution an alliance priority

Social Democratic Party, said last night that new Alliance proposals

ization of government at the expense of Parliament, the the refions, and local government.

Under the chairmanship of Sir Henry Fisher, president of Wolf-son College, Oxford, the com-mission elaborated on Alliance manifesto commitments to introduce phased devolution of government to Scotland, Wales, and the English regions, streng-then the powers of scrutiny of Parliament over the executive; provide greater independence for local authorities with the phased introduction of a local income tax, which would replace the rates; the creation of a Bill of Rights; introduce a public right of access to official information; and reform the House of Lords.

While Dr Owen feels that reform of the House of Lords might be relegated by an Alliance verament if a Conservatice and abour opposition threatened to is determined, as a priority, to bring in Scottish devolution as the initial step in an overall pattern of

half-nominated by an independent standing commission of senior privy councillors - mem-bers would be elected on the basis of multi-member constituencies corresponding to the areas of the English regions, Scotland, Wales, and Lilster

a body within the Scottish Parliament with the sanction of

delay.

This would ensure that the Scottish Parliament, like the Westminster Parliament, does not become a single-chamber Partia-

The establishmeent of a Scottish Parliament would also mean the end of the need for Scottish station at the West minster Parliament with reduction from 72 MPs to abot 60 in a 650-member Commons.

Towards a New Constitutional Settlement: Second Heport of the joint Liberal-SDP Alliance com-mission on constitutional reform (Poland Street Publications, Poland Street, London W1; £1).

Aaron Lee left home on Thursday at about 5pm after telling his mother that he was going for a ride on his bicycle but that he would return at the right time for bed. His family made contact with the police when he was late, and after they had noticed police activity in

The train passed the waste ground at

boy found no obvious motive for the

killing and there was no sign of 2

sexual attack. The other boy aged 15,

said to be very shocked, was ques-

The police are looking for a boy with a bicycle who was playing on the

tioned by detectives.

waste ground

A post mortem examination of the

## Computers can hinder crime inquiries, police say

Aaron Lee and yesterday's search by police on waste ground for clues to his killer

Passengers may have seen murder

By Stewart Tendler, Crime Reporter

missing and the police were able to

murder became known, Streatham

police station received an anonymous

elephone call from a man whom

officers believe must have been a

passenger on board the 18.10 Coul-

sdon North to Victoria train, saying that he had seen someone being

Det Chief Supt Raymond Adams urged the man to call again and said

that he would be prepared to meet him in the strictest confidentiality. He also

appealed for other passengers on the

when four extra carriages were added.

It stopped at East Croydon at 18.19

Yesterday morning, as news of the

identify the body.

train to come forward.

He said the Sussex inquiry had the police during inquiries.

roduced between 2,000 and Mr Oxford said he had spoken easy way of solving serious crime, produced between 2,000 and the Association of Chief Police 3,000 items of information, compared with 309,000 in the Yorkshire "Ripper" inquiry.

The chief officers had spent three days in private discussing new methods of dealing with big crimes and computers had come high in their thinking.
But Mr Kenneth Oxford,

president of the association and Chief Constable of Merseyside, said that using a computer as an the practicality of it. Having aid to solving crime was not like buying a transistor radio or tape

the previous evening to Mr Leon Brittan, the Home Secretary, after his decision to ask chief constables to examine how the police

Mr Oxford had assured the Home Secretary that all the expertise, experience, and re-sources of the police force were being applied jointly and individually in such investigations. But Mr Oxford gave a warning

might be improved.

that there was a danger of over-deploying the forces so that they became more of a hindrance than

He said chief officers in the whole of the police service were

not complacent and were very

much concerned with the issues in

Four killed and

five hurt

in house fire

caught fire as he climbed blazing stairs at his home in Carisbrooke Road, Newport, Isle of Wight, to

try to rescate his wife and son. He was forced back and the

hodies of his wife, Margaret, son, Christopher, aged 17, and two lodgers were found later in the ashes of the terraced house's top

Neighbours saw the fire early

yesterday at the three-storey house where the Parrs took in

former psychiatric hospital patients. Firemen, who arrived

patients. Firemen, who arrived within a few minutes, found flames breaking through the roof. Neighbouring homes were evacuated as flames spread to adjoining properties. It took sixty firement and nine appliences two hours to bring the blaze under control.

Mrs Parr died when she went

Mrs Parr died when she went to rouse her son. Mr Parr aged 48, tried to follow her, but was beaten back. He and his daughter Lisa, aged 12, were comforted outside by neighbours.

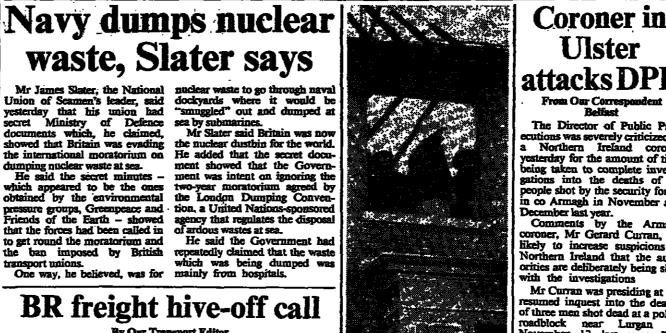
They were treated for shock and minor injuries in hospital. Mr George Smith, aged 53, Mr Rouald Maypard, aged 62, and Norman Ritchie, who were also hart in the fire, were transferred to Odstock hospital, near Salisbury, where they said to be in a satisfactory condition last night.

The cause of the fire, which is thought to have started on the first floor, has not been established. The mames of the two other victims had not been released last night.

the Home Secretary's statement. Mr Birch said he had been

delighted that the Home Secretary was satisfied that his team was doing all it could to solve the case of the attack on a boy in Brighton. investigation of serious assaults He added that the Sussex force was well advanced in developing the use of computers, but it was unfortunate that the assault had happened before the system could start operating and before it was compatible with others

> Mr Oxford was asked whether he thought police action should be taken against the Paedophile Information Exchange, He said he found the whole thing distasteful, but it was for the lawyers and action to take.



roadblock near Lurgan on November 12 last year. The inquest was originally adjournmed in June to allow the DPP a further three months to complete his investigation and was adjourned again yesterday.

to take the unusual step of ordering jurors and witnesses to be present for a resumed sitting On October 5

DDP's office in Belfast said: Clearly, in the interests of justice, investigation should be thorough, scrupulous and under-taken without delay, but the thoroughness of an investigation should not be sacrificed to

 A Mercedes commercial goods van, expertly armoured and virtually bulletproof against fire-arms at present used by the Royal Ulster Constabulary, was recently recovered from the Provisional IRA, the police in the Irish Republic confirmed yesterday.

### **Drugs** plot 'trapped woman'

Nicola Frend, aged 31, was two Sunday newspaper reporters had connived in the plot, it was alleged by the defence at Croydon

crown Court yesterday.
Freud was given a 15-month sentence suspended for two years, and fined £500 after she admitted and fined £500 after she admitted supplying cocaine to a News of the World journalist, Ms Alex Marun-Ichak, and cannabis to a builder, Mr Robert Delargy.

The prosecution alleged that the two journalists discovered that the deep could be brushy from

that drugs could be bought from Freud's hone in Battersea High Street, south London. Mr Matun-chak went to her home and posed as a buyer of drug's. He bought three grams of cocaine for £135. Judge Clay remarked that it was perhaps "a good thing for the journalists that they are not before me".

#### Women's peace visit cancelled

A visit by 30 "peace women" to the Soviet Union was cancelled last night after the Soviet Embassy in London failed to provide them with visas because of "technical difficulties".

The women should have left last night on a 17-day visit during which they had hoped to meet the official Soviet peace and women's committees, and unofficial peace campaigners. Progressive Tours, the agency organising the trip said yesterday no explanation had been given for the cancellation, but it was hoped the visit could take place later.

#### Labour leader to take a rest

Mr Clive Wilkinson, aged 45, who has led the Labour Party on Birmingham City Council for the past 10 years, said yesterday that he would not seek reelection next

May. Mr Wilkinson, who has been regarded as one of the foremost figures in local government politics in the Midlands, said he needed a complete break from

#### Man with rifle arrested at jail

A man armed with an air rifle drove into the courtyard of Bedford Prison on Thursday morning and demanded to see an inmate. The deputy governor of the jail, Mr Colin Griffiths, suggested that he should get into the car and take details of the

Mr Griffiths then persuaded him to go to an office near by for a

### Day apologizes

A spokesman for Mr Michael Foot said yesterdy that he had received an apology from Sir Robin Day for disclosing that Mr Foot had told him in a private conversation that Mrs Margaret Thatcher had no option but to sink the Argentine warship General Gelerano during the Falklands conflict.

## Brittan visit

Mr Leon Brittan, the Home Secretary, visited a youth custody centre in his own constituency at North Allerton, North Yorkshire yesterday. He said that the constructive training provided was preferable to simply locking up offenders.

### Drug advice

The Pharmaceutical Society advised pharmacists yesterday not to dispense anti-arthritis drug. Osmosin, without consulting doctors. Osmosin was temporarily withdrawn by its makers on Thursday.

#### Balmoral bomb

A Second World War mortar, bomb has been blown up on the edge of Balmoral estate, where the Royal Family is in residence. It Was near one of their favourite picnic places.

### Parkinson ill

Mr Cecil Parkinson, Secretary of State for Trade and Industry, was taken ill with food poisoning yesterday and cancelled a tour of

#### Leyland payrise The 6,000 workers at Leyland -Vehicle's five main bus and lorry factories have agreed to a 2½ per cent payrise in an attempt to help

## Powell attacks Labour's 'routed Army' leaders

the candidates' apparent renunci-ation of election policy to withdraw from the EEC.

He told a meeting in East-bourne of the British Anti-Common Market Campaign that for more than a decade the issue of Britain's independence ran closely along party political lines.

But that had been altered by the

collapse of the Labour Party
He said: "To watch them is like winessing the commanders and officers of a routed army lead the headlong flight of their own troops, throwing down and trampling, as they do so, the very standards and ensigns under which they had taken the field.

which they had taken the neid.

"To abjure the policies and promises which they themselves so recently offered to the electorate is regarded by the second-raters, third-raters, and fifteenth-raters who aspire to lead the routed remnant of their party

contender for the Labour leadership, and one of those who has backed away from the party's firm

Mr John Butcher, an Under Secretary of State for Trade and Industry, last night likened Mr Kinnock to a "cione" of the 1963 Harold Wilson; to be elected on a left-wing ticket which would later be fudged.

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nhone the number below.

Dr David Owen, leader of the Dr Owen said in speech at night that new Alliance proposals for Scottish devolution had a real chance of winning widespread support throughout the United Kingdom.

The proposals are contained in a joint SDP-Liberal Alliance constitutional commission report, published on Thursday, which heavily criticized the over-centralization of sovernment at the

Inverkeithing, near Dunfermline, Fife, last night "It should be a source of pleasure to anyone in Scotland who wants to see a Scottish Parliament that this issue has been dealt with firmly and robustly within the context of reform of the United Kingdom constitution because it means that our proposals for Scottish devolution carry credibility, not just in Scotland but in the United Kingdom as well."

The Scottish Parliament would be elected on the basis of proportional representation, which an Alliance government would also introduce for local government, the European parliamentary elections, and the Westminster Parliament, as well as any Weish or regional English assembly which was eventually phased in over a longer period. Dr Owen also said: "We advocate an independent source of finance for the Scottish Parliament and that should come is credible because we are arguing for the abolition of rates in the United Kingdom and for the introduction of local income tax

so far advanced in Scotland, it can

be introduced here quicker than in the rest of the United Kingdom, but again the funda-

mental fiscal reform is one which is for the whole of the United

constitutional change would in-volve an overall reduction in bureacracy, with the Alliance proposing a reduction in the number of tiers of local government throughout the country. For the reformed 500-member

Dr Owen said: "But for the Scottish members, instead of supervising the regional functions of Westminster and the Welsh Office, they would constitute also

## **Ulster** attacks DPP

The Director of Public Prosa Northern Ireland coroner yesterday for the amount of time being taken to complete investigations into the deaths of six people shot by the security forces in co Armagh in November and

December last year. Comments by the Armagh coroner, Mr Gerard Curran, are likely to increase suspicions in Northern Ireland that the authorities are deliberately being slow with the investigations

Mr Curran was presiding at the resumed inquest into the deaths of three men shot dead at a police

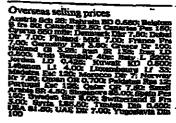
The coroner said he was forced

Last night a spokesman for the

This is the ruined upper storey of a house in which four people died and five were injured in a fire early yesterday.

Mr Donald Parr's clothes

commitment against Europe, yesterday described Mr Michael Meacher's suggestion of a referendum on Polaris as redundant.



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**Tobacco** 

survey

sides with

smokers

People should be free to choose viether to smoke, according to a

om, 97 per cent thought smoking should be banned in food shops.
Of the 1,869 people interviewed in the NOP Market

Reseach Survey, 61 per cent were

One statistic diverging from the general unanimity of the findings

was that only 70 per cent of nonsmokers said that, in general, they did not object to people smoking.

The Tobacco Advisory Council, which is financed by the

tobacco industry, said that the survey showed an "absolutely

towards smokers, but Action on Smoking and Health (ASH) condemned the survey as a collection of "useless infor-

Dr Keith Ball, vice-presiden

ASH said the questions posed

ere uncontroversial and avoided

men and 1,020 women.

## New chemical sweeteners set to challenge sugar and saccharin monopolies

An unprecedented commercial quantities are in stock, ready to in 15,003 of the population born battle for the sweet teeth of rush to British customers.

Britain's slimmers will start after floechest, by contrast, has no marketing experience with its lamine, an amino acid which of new substitutes for sugar. It is Sunett sweetener because British aspartame contains. All products likely to be a dirty fight with its the first country to approve it.

The electric products is the first country to approve it.

monopoly that saccharm has held in the artificial sweetner market since cyclamate was banned 14

also challenge the sales of natural sugar, appealing to people who want to cut calories but cannot want to cut calories but cannot sugar manufacturers sooned use stand the bitter after-taste of Government in an attempt to saccharin. Both products will be saccharin. Both products will be saccharin. Both products will be saccharin. That failed, but they sweetners. That failed, but they as a partial replacement for now seem certain to challenge the sold as a table-top sweetner in tiny tablests and as an additive to now seem certain to challenge the saccharin in low-calory way at least one of the sweetners drinks. Coco Cola has alr

Neither Hoechst, the German manufacturer of acesulfame K, to be marketed as Sunett, or Searle, the American maker of aspartame, will disclose details of the marketing strategy before the However, Searle seems almost

certain to win the first round: it

likely to be a dirty fight with is the unst country to approve allegations about the health risks. The plant that Hoechst is building PKU warning notice.

An American researcher, Proposition of the sweetener in of the rival product. to produce the sweetener in Two entirely different chemical Frankfurt has not been comproducts, both nearly 200 times pleted, and sources in the industry Massachusetts Institute of Tech-sweeter than sugar, will break the doubt whether enough has been nology, has published evidence made at the company's research.

gressive sales strategy. The sugar industry is ready to counter-attack in defence of its firmly rejected his suggestion. £800m a year market. Promoters of the new sweetners say that sugar manufacturers lobbied the

Mr Graham Somerville, the deputy director general of the "we land and it is expected to be are objecting to what we regard as introduced into Britain within a misleading and unjustified few months.

Boots, the manufacturer of the manufacturer of the state of the st group who cannot use aspartame it will with complete safety are the one shops.

survey commissioned by the Tobacco Advisory Council and published yesterday. Although 95 per cent of those questioned opted for this free-

fessor Richard Wurtman, of the that aspartame may cause chemifacilities to match Searle's ag- cal changes in the brain. But Searle and the United States Food and Drug Administration have

Scarle will also sell aspartame

tized claim that Canderel, Searle's three quarters of Britain's sacproduct, has "natural sugar taste". charin, says it is not to be worried The company says that the only by its new sweetner rivals, which it will sell through its chemist

breathe clean air.
But the Tobacco Advisory Council yesterday rejected any suggestion that the survey was a whitewash or propaganda exercise or that the questions were couched at such a level of generality as to call into question the public response.

Mr Anthony St Anbyn, the council's public affairs manager, said yesterday: "We wanted to concentrate on the three main items of freedom, tolerance and short and simple."

More questions in greater detail would have cluttered the re-sponse, he said. "Non-smokers have always got one particular incident when somebody did something horrid to them last week, last month or last year.

Mr Martin Mulholland, chair man of the council's public relations committee, said the facts revealed by the survey stood by





### Crossword addicts prepare to do battle

Albert Bongo is the President of Gabon than the date of their MOTOW for the natio the (1 across) Meet This/(2 down) Editions I call scorin'

pionship, first started in 1970, after a year of enforced idleness last year when there

will receive the Collins Trophy, a ngraved by Alison Kinnaird, nd a £500 Harrods gift voucher. The clear favourite is Dr John mpion. That does not entirely lease Collins, Dr Sykes, 226 4, an astrophysicist turned lexicographer, is an eminent employee of the Oxford Univer-

Still, there's many a slip twixt cup and lip, as the great man himself likes to point out, especially in a competition with 19 other finalists whose average time taken to solve *The Times* crossword is 10 minutes.

Finalists will have to solve four crosswords from The Times in 30 bonus point a minute of time saved. The programme begins at 1.30 pm at the Park Lane Hotel Piccadilly, west London, with the

Mr Tony Sever (top left), computer systems consultant, in the defending 1981 champion Mr Sever, aged 39, from west London, said: "I am not at all hopeful because John Sykes is

The Rev Colin Morton, aged 50, minister of Prestongrange Church, Prestonpans, Lothian (bottom left), four times a finalist a fancied outsider. More abstruse than his sermons, The Times crossword is a daily delight for it is always capable of

## Europe spends more on videos

European spending on audio and video products last year for the first time almost equalled the combined sales in the United States and Japan, according to a survey on the industry.

tape recorders in Britain are increasing and by the end of this year about 27 per cent of British

cassette recorders (VCR) in Europe reached 5.2 million units in 1982, up 42 per cent from the previous year, but the bulk of this growth was lodged in the UK which accounted for an astonish-

It predicts that the combined European VCR and colour television market will be worth more than \$28,000m (£18,000m) a year by 1986. Last year 12.6 million colour television sets, 20

Dragon's difficulties emerged

almost three scillion, which combined with France and West

Germany accounted for more

the first time "retail spending on audio and video products in Europe virtually equalled the combined totals in the United States (\$14,000m) and Japan (\$12,000m) in 1982". • The RBC next Thursday will

hanch the titles that it is to make

## £2.5m aid plan for **Dragon computers**

vesterday to try to save Dragon when the Mettoy toy group, Data, a South Wales company owner of about 15 per cent of the that has been regarded as one of computer company's shares, said the most successful in the home that Dragon had suffered a

computer market.

Dragon's "short-term cash effect" on Mettoy.

shortage," was disclosed three Mettoy's shares fell from 17p-to-days after Grundy Business 2p before railying to 3p.

Systems, makers of the NewBrain Mettoy has lost more than £9m. said it was to go into liquidation. in the past three years and it was
The Dragon and Grundy hoped in the Cay that Dragon
reversals have increased fears that could give the company a chance

the home computer industry is to move out of loss. disappointing sales and squeezed profit margins.

Retail prices of most home computers have been cut heavily as retailers have struggled to artract sales in a dull selling

industry, where price cutting has led to some heavy losses, haunts, the British market and many people in the industry believe that have agreed to the rescue plan the British computer market will which may involve them in be in trouble. Coffee sales close

the gap between the number of cups of tea and coffee drunk each year has reduced to less than twoto a national drinks survey.

Dragon said vesterday: "
of Dragon 32 computers
during the summer months during the summer months been less than forecast and at the same time the company has been garing up production to meet pre-Christmas demand. This

pre-Christmas demand. This inevitably has put strains on Dragon Data's immediate cash and borrowing facilities." Shareholders with a 90 per cer stake in Dragon are thought to

gap on tea

The survey, commission The survey, commissioned by The Nestle Company, found that coffee sales total 5410m a year, which is fractionally ahead of tea.

Nestly 100 million cups of coffee are consumed every day with sadet being instant coffee, with sadet being instant coffee, with sadet being a ground coffee

is increasing.

About 80 per cent is being drunk black or with just "a dash" of milk, and 50 per cent is drunk

**Boy charged** after crash

A boy, aged 13, has been charged with burglary and with taking a vehicle without consent after an accident between a Bentley and a Datsun at Iver, Buckinghamshire, the police said yesterday. A woman, aged 36, is in custody and may also be

Mr Peter Keeble, of Slough, the driver of the Datsun, was seriously hurt and is in intensive care in the Middlesex Hospital. Another child, aged 13, who was in the Bentley, was slightly hurt and taken to hospital.

Weather stops microlight race

The first stage of a race by 82 microlight aircraft from Biggin Hill, Kent, to Paris was cancelled yesterday after gusting winds reached 30 knots. The maximum permitted by safety regulations is 25 knots.

between 16 and 73, were to have taken part. The aircraft were taken later by road and ferry to Le Touquet, where the race will be started today.

Attack charge

Joseph Stevens, aged 30, unemployed, from Old Trafford, Manchester, was remanded in custody yesterday by Strangeways magistrates, charged with mal-iciously wounding two elderly men with an axe in a city street on

Youth charged A youth aged 16 was charged

with murder yesterday after the discovery of the body of Mrs

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(If you have other accounts in Mand Bieny, a widow aged 75, in her bungalow in an old people's To: Gordon Barnett, Leeds Permanent Building Society, FREEPOST, ships sunk during the Falklands 'the Leeds' the amount you have development at Exmouth. Devon. Permanent House, The Headrow, Leeds LS1 1SQ. (No stamp needed). invested in the society at any one Gypsy jailed for 'holy water cure' time may not exceed these figures.) Madame Rose, the gypsy 1977, to cure his bad dreams and leaving it under her bed for three (min. 23000) which I wish in invest in an Extra High Return Bond. A 2 year term share - with access body problems". "She took the money, £400, Stevenson, who denied two and placed it in a cross on the charges of obtaining money by ground and put a fresh egg on top deception, said she had taken the Closure or partial ground and put a fresh egg on top of it. She told me to rub it all over my body, then she broke the egg on the money and black hairs withdrawals are allowed before the money because both Mr Adeleke and Mrs Alexander often came to end of the 2 year term. her for advice without paying. came out of the egg - these were Mr Recorder Denny, QC, toki You simply give 3 months' written notice and forego 3 months' "She said I could not take the despicable offences than working money because the evil spirits on the hopes and fears of people interest on the amount withdrawn. their money Mrs Rose Stevenson, aged 41, of Lordship Road, Mrs Cynthia Alexander, aged troubled and need help. I have backney, east London, disappeared with it, Mr Mitchell said. 52, of Stephendale Road, Fulham, beared with it, Mr Mitchell said. 52, of Stephendale Road, Fulham, which will be solved that her the some of the nameating humbs that has affected your evidence."

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Mrs Cynthia Alexander, aged troubled and need help. I have been some of the nameating humbs that has affected your evidence."

Stevenson was also ordered to see the solution of the nameating humbs that has affected your evidence." Interest is credited annually tried to remain unaffected by some of the nauscating humbu on December 31st. You can also



this week was awarded the Queen's gallantry medal for his

Petry Officer Harrison, aged 33, who has been in the Navy for 18 years, won the medal for h part in recovering classified documents and equipment from

"possibly the most task ever undertaken by a Royal Navy diving team", ships sunk during the wearing his "hot water" said at campaign last year.

fortune teller who said she could banish the evil spirits that caused a man's impotence by washing £400 in holy water, was jailed for two years by Southwark Crown

She had told two clients that my body, then money would be returned after came out of the cleansing, Mr Fergus Mitchell, for the evil spirits. chricon said.

But when they went to collect their money Mrs Rose Stevenson, London, told the jury that he went by wrapping. "£500 around a Stevenson was also ordered to to see Madame Rose in December coalies jar, filling it with water, and pay £900 compensation.

## The end of flight 007: Explanation demanded as international anger grows

## Pope shocked and the world outraged

Pope yesterday sent a message of shock and "heartfelt condolences" to Koreans and the Arch-bishop of Scoul, Mgr Stephen

The telegram, in English, said: involving a Korean commercial airplane, I send my heartfelt condolences to you and the Korean people at this time of

I specially unite myself to the families and friends of the deceased and I ask Almighty God to strengthen and sustain them in

Horrow over the incident was reflected in government state-ments around the world.

SOUTH KOREA: Seoul called on Moscow publicly to logize and punish those onsibile. Mr Lee Bum-Suk, the Foreign Minister, also announced that his country had attack was an "inconceivable act
the country had attack was an "inconceivab Unesco meeting in Moscow next Government said.

He said that the "inhuman and barbaric act" of the Soviet Union strongly demand a formal apology complete and adequate punishment for the perpetrators of this



"Inhuman and

Airlines plane was, in fact, served

with a notice by the Soviet authorities before he took off on

Wednesday's doomed flight. He was told they reserved the right to shoot down his surcraft if it

national Air Transport Associ-

"This is a Notice to Airmen",

routinely put out by governments

to cover sensitive areas, to warn pilots when and where military

exercises are taking place, and

also in the case of permanently

Soviet Far Eastern air defence

network, falls exactly into the

Notam issued in this case", Iata added. "To paraphrase it almost

exactly, it specifies that the

Sakhalin Island, part of the

We have investigated the

called in the aviation busine

Russians warned pilot

of 'right to shoot'

The pilot of the Korean Soviet Union reserves the right to

ation (Iata) said yesterday that followed the standard recognised

Expressing International Reac-on to the Korean jet disaster, the ope yesterday sent a message of nock and "heartfelt condolenc-of lack of safety for civil air transport there are also the principles which govern inter-

> CHINA: The Foreign Ministry expressed China's nation and regrets". AUSTRALIA: Mr Bob

Hawke, the Prime Minister, said that he was "absolutely appalled" by the incident which he called barbaric.

● JAPAN: The Foreign Ministry demanded that the Soviet Union immediately begin rescue ● NORWAY: Mr Kaare Wil-loch, the Prime Minister, said an "incomprehensible tragedy" had taken place.

week as a protest over the BELGIUM: "The Belgian Government does not understand to which security interests the importance to justify the cold-blooded sacrifice of 269 human

• NEW ZEALAND: Government condemned action as a "cold-blooded and

■ CANADA: Mr Jean-Luc Pepin, the Minister of State for External Relations, expressed "disagreement, concern and even anger", but added: "We have to be temperate to a certain extent." ● PORTUGAL: Senhor Mario Soares, the Prime Minister, said his Government was deeply

 STOCKHOLM: Mr Olof Palme, Sweden's Prime Minister, condemend the incident, but said later in an interview that it did not lessen his commitment to narrowing the gap between East and West. Leading article, page 7

"You can never say that anyone is entitled to kill another

269 human beings", said Ista. "But the Seviet Union has

nanitarian and moral case

they have a pretty sound case in

The only three other cases in

the past 15 years in which military aircraft have shot down

civilian airliners also included a

Korean flight that went into

Soviet airspace. It involved a

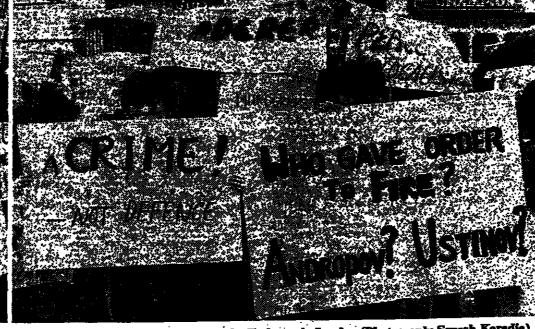
region. Two people were killed by rockets in that incident.

eing 707 in the northern polar

The others occured in the

Middle East, when the Israelis

shot down a Libyan jet in 1973,



Transatlantic protests: The same theme of anger voiced in Washington, left, and outside the Soviet Embassy in London (Photograph: Suresh Karadia)

One theory in Washington is

that Moscow wanted to fire a warning shot over the bows of

Japan, whose Prime Minister, Mr

Asuhiro Nakasone, is intent on

bringing his country into a closer

defence arrangement with the US

and the West. On a recent visit to Washington, Mr Nakasone was

reported to have described Japan

Only yesterday Mr George Shultz, the Secretary of State,

reminded a Japanese audience in

the US that Japan had undertaken

to defend the sea lanes to a distance of 1,000 miles from Japan. "When Japan is ready to

provide a credible deterrent to

Soviet adventurism in north-east

Another theory is that senior

members of the Soviet military

command, who are opposed to any deal with the US which could

result in a reduction of Soviet intercontinental ballistic missiles.

may have seen this as an

opportunity to torpedo the

Geneva arms talks.

unprecedentedly tough.

"an unsinkable aircraft car-

### **Americans** clamour for retaliation

From Nicholas Ashford

The apparent shooting down of fighter has produced a chorus of political leaders and a clamour for retaliatory action against the Soviet Union.

Describing the incident as barbarous, despicable and cold blooded murder, Congressmen have nrged the Reagan Administration to take punitive measures against Moscow

The most far-reaching demands have come from a coalition of angered by the loss of one of their leaders, Representative Lawrence McDonald, chairman of the John Birch Society, see the tragedy as an opportunity to press the Administration into reducing US-

They have called for the cancelling of the recently-concluded long-term grain deal with the Soviet Union and the sale of American pipe-laying equipment for the Siberian gas pipeline; the suspension of the two rounds of Geneva arms talks; the termination of most trade, communications and cultural links; expulsion of Soviet diplomats and the recall of the US ambassador from Moscow.

Even moderate members of Ongress, such as Senator Edward Kennedy, have called on Western nations to show their displeasure by suspending all commercial flights to the Soviet Union.

Soviet Union reserves the right to use any means to preserve the integrity of the area."

This almost certainly means lawyers yesterday agreed, that the Russians were perfectly within their legal rights to shoot down the Boeing 747. Behind this clamour, however, some powerful voices have been heard urging a calmer approach. Senator Howard Baker, the Senate Majority Leader, emphasized that, despite the "reprehensible" incident, the US "still has an obligation to continue the dialogue with the Soviet Union in

the quest for peace". Mr James Wright, Majority Leader in the House, added: "We need to approach this with clear eyes and cool heads and know exactly what happened before we respond.

There are important questions which still have to be answered before the Reagan Administration can decide how tough a response it should make. For example: how and why did the Korean aircraft stray so far into Soviet airspace

said. He described how his younger brother, aged two, screamed for help after being

wounded. "A gunman stepped on his neck," the boy said, "and kept

pressing until he was silent."
Mr Micael Ashkar, aged 50,

said that he hid under a bridge at

Bmariam but heard women "screaming and wailing in fear

and pain. I heard no gunshots but

I am sure they were being

and the gunmen left. They came back a few minutes later and blew

stabbed. Then the crying stopped

An American television crew

managed to reach the village -

which is supposed to be under

1978 flashback: A Russian Sukhoi 15 fighter photographed from a Korean Airlines Boeing 707 over the Soviet Union before the fighter opened fire and forced it to land at Murmansk. The Russians claimed it had violated their airspace

using international distress signals? But the key question is: At what level within the Soviet hierarchy was the decision taken to shoot down the airliner? By a local commander on Sakhalin island, by a senior officer in Vladivostok eadquarters of the Soviet Pacific or by the Kremlin?

If the order to shoot was taken

Attacker was MiG, Japanese insist

Tokyo (AFP) - General Shigehiro Mori, bead of the Japanese Air Force, yesterday insisted that the KAL Boeing had been attacked by a MiG23, despite the claim by American military intelligence experts that the aircraft was a Sukhoi SU15.

Sources suggested that Japaneses radar may have detected that the Soviet aircraft flew longer then an SU15 can do without refuelling.

appear to believe it was, this raises questions about why the Soviet Union should have decided on a course of action which was bound to have vast inter-

Druze leaders have been saying

privately that any Christians killed in the villae died under

shellfire but the details provided

supposed to have died, have inflamed Christian Maronite

If the evidence turns out to be

The Lebanese Army meanwhile

spent yesterday making dozens of

further arrests while repositioning

tanks and guns at strategic intersections of the city. Lorry

have to explain how they

emotions in Beirnt.

in Moscow, and some US officials

## Disaster happened on one of the busiest air routes

on which the doomed airliner was bound is, second only to the North Atlantic routes, the world's busiest, a spokesman for the International Air Transport Asociation (IATA) said at its

There must be 20 jumbos a day flying in either direction on the Tokyo-Seoul leg," he said. The association is stunned that civilian airliner could have been shot down. It cannot believe the 747 could have got so far off it and that contact procedures between civilian and military planes, revised only in the last

Geneva headquarters yesterday.

year and agreed by the Russians, could have failed so disastrously. Although the airline is not mong IATA's 120 members it has sat in on its conferences and is With a total of 42 aircraft - including 14 747s, five DC10s, eight Europan Airbus A300s, seven much older 707s and five 727s - it is the second largest carrier, after Japan Airlines, based

An aviation specialist in the area said yesterday: "KAL is not among the first-tier airlines, especially as far as in-flight ervice is concerned. But the jumbo jet is so routine these days that it is almost inconceivable that everything vital to its

Challenger

moves so

smoothly to

lower orbit

yesterday by moving the space-craft into a lower earth orbit and

manocuvred from an orbit 184 miles above the Earth to a more

circular one at 139 miles to conduct an experiment on the

tests of a new £60m data relay satellite went better than yester-

day, when ground computer problems frequently disrupted

Students honour

Durban (AP). - Nelson Man-lela, the Jailed African National

Congress leader has been notainated by students for the chancellorship of the University of Natal. He has accepted the

nomination.

Mr Mandela, aged 55, imprisoned since 1963 for sabouage, is still widely regarded as

the nation's most important black leader. Alan Paton, the author,

withdrew after Mr Mandels agreed to be a candidate.

Avellino (Reuter)-Generoso Villani, aged 34, an Italian bar-

owner, has been sentenced to six years' jail for the attempted rape of a 19-year-old English student

The student told the court that

Villani invited her and a three-

year-old child to a cafe, threa-

tened her with an axe and tried to

Taipei (AFP) - Tarwan is to suspend Philippines Airlines

landing rights in Taiper in retaliation for the Philippines' suspension of the Taiwan airline's

landing rights in Manila. Manila

acted after the Taiwan airline

carried as a passenger Senor Benigno Aquino, who was assassinated at Manila aurport on

Karlsruhe (Reuter) - Yuri Vashchenko, aged 19, the Soviet

soldier who escaped from Swiss

Internment and asked unsuccess-

fully for asylum in West Germ-

any, has refused to return. He was

one foeight soldiers held in Switzerland after capture by

Prague (AP) - Mr Lubomir Strougal, the Prime Minister of Czechoslovakia has introduced a

high-level economic managers

and executives in an attempt to

improve industrial performance

Los Angeles (Reuter) - Francis-co "Kiko" Bejines of Mexico was

in a critical condition last night

after being knocked out by

Alberto Davila, an American, in a

world bantamweight boxing title

Paper out again

Istanbul (AP) - Turkey has lifted a ban on its les

**Boxer critical** 

Tough at top

No-go soldier

rape her. She fought him off and

escaped with the child.

Ban for ban

British girl

Mandela

materials at lower altitudes.

The Pacific Ocean air corridor positioning could have malfund which the doomed airliner was tioned so badly."

Although the jumbo invloved was 11 years old, the three inertial navigational aids provide a backup system which should have enabled the plane never to be more than "a couple of metres off course", according to lata.

Pilots normally fly along the middle of the chosen flight path and, said lata, that means it must have been at least 80 nautical miles astrav The most likely error is that the

flight plan put into the in-flight computer before takeoff from New York had been wrongly Another possible cause could have been decompression on the

flightdeck, which would have affected the crew's ability to handle the plane. What then happened, IATA is asking, to the inter-governmental International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) procedure

laid down for such an incident?

Because military and civil aircraft operate on different radio frequencies, they would not have been able to talk to each other. But according to the Americans there was a period of 2½ hours during which the fighters were buzzing around the plane, said IATA. They could have talked viz military and civilian air traffic controllers on the ground.

## British insurers liable for up to \$312m claims

that 75 per cent of the insurance tional under the policy taken out by An KAL had been reinsured on the can be no doubt that the London market.

So far the White House reaction has been one of studied anger. The language used by President Reagan, Mr Shultz and other senior officials has been hull of the 11-year-old aircraft and systems. the rest for passenger, cargo and third party liability.

Heseltine

British insurers are liable for up although the figure appeared to be to \$312m (£208m) worth of any well in excess of that required on insurance claims resulting from a passenger basis under inter-the Korean Airlines disaster, national liability agreements, the Lloyd's of London said yesterday sum was by no means excep-An sirline executive said: There

ondon market. ambulance chasing style of Ame-Airlines officials said that their rican lawyers will immediately policy, with the Oriental Fire and result in a mass of claims against Marine Insurance Company, was people like Boeing and Litton, worth \$435m - with \$35m for the who made the navigational result in a mass of claims against

# the rest for passenger, cargo and hird party liability. Aviation specialists said that in which case, the sky's the limit.

for Tornado

From Mario Modiano Athens In a last-minute attempt to sway the Greek choice of newgeneration combat aircraft in favour of the British-German-Italian Tornado, Mr Michael Heseltine, the Defence Secretary, paid a 20-hour visit to Athens yesterday. He met Mr Andreas Papandreou, the Greek Prime Minister, who is also Defence

It is largely on Mr Papandreou that the ultimate political de-cision rests about the aircraft Greece intends to order for its airforce for the next two decade Hreece would like to buy between 100 and 120 warplanes worth between £1.4 billion and £2 billion.

Four rival sircraft manufac turers - two American and two

effort to offset any advantages gained by M Charles Hernu, the French Defence Minister, who saw Mr Papandreou in July in the informality of a private holiday in

There are strong indications that M Hernu, whether because of lower proces, better credit terms,

The same source said the Tornado and the F18 Horner of McDonnell-Douglas were too

couipment.

## puts in word | against Zia demanded

leader of the Pakistan People's Party (PPP) in the troubled Sind province, called on Pakistanis to tie burial cloth around their heads and join the protests for democracy which started 20 days ago. A Muslim who ties a burial cloth over his head is indicating that he is ready to die for a cause

Restoration of Democracy, said the opposition wanted President Zia's resignation, an end to martial law and a general election.

Members of the PPP, founded by executed prime minister Zulfikar Ali Bhutto, said the tape, which was smuggled from the government rest house where Mr Jatoi is under house arrest, would be copied for playing at protests

## Holy war

Karachi (Reuter) - A prominent opponent of President Zia-ul-Haq of Pakistan appealed in a

Mr Ghulam Mustafa Jatoi

Mr Jatoi, who was arrested early in the campaign launched by the eight-party Movement for the

### conservative newspaper, Tercuman after a 23-day closure prompted by editorial criticism of the military government. Pupils whipped

Johannesburg (AFP) - Police fired tear gas and rubber bullets then used whips to disperse about 800 punils boycotting classes, in a

taped message released yesterday for a "holy war" against the bully.

country's government by martial law. Vanishing lion

New York (Reuter) - A 3ft bronze from which has faced Washington Square Park in Greenwich Village for 100 years

has been stolen. The concrete £3.5m food aid

Rome (AP) - The world food programme is to send £3.5m worth of food to victims of drought and other calamities in Ghana, Mauritania, Indonesia and Sri Lanka.

Ordered out

The Hagne (AP) - The Netherlands has declared a

## Sri Lanka politician shot

Colombo (AFP - censored) - A injured.

In the northern capital of thought to be Tamil have been shot dead, and two other people injured, in new outbreaks of violence in east and north Sri Lanka in the past two days, after a police patrol was fired on Lanka in the past two days, after a police patrol was fired on anti-Tamil riots a month ago, official sources said yesterday.

The United National Party (UNP) politician was shot dead while aizen at his home in the

while accept at his home in the eastern town of Batticaloa, where ethnic violence was reported last weekend, by an unidentified youth in "some kind of military iniform". In another incident least 371 people dead and 100,000 north of Batticaloa, another person, believed to be a UMP killing of 13 soldiers by militant: supporter, was shot at and

#### and when an Arab fighter brought down an El Al plane about three years afterwards and why did it not call for help, national repercussions. 24 hours of calm in Beirut

## France may host peace conference

As a new American amphibious task force steamed towards Lebanon on the orders of Reagan yesterday, French diplomats were trying to President Amin Gemayel to call a meeting of all Lebanese opposition leaders be-fore the Lebanese army advances into the Chouf Mountains east of the capital. Lebanese press reports suggests

that France was prepared to host such a conference on board its aircraft carrier "Foch", which is also on its way to the eastern Mediterranean, in the hope that a new national coalition government could be formed. In the general calm that has prevailed here over the past 24 hours, Mr Gemayel has been considering the formation of a

new Cabinet that would prevent further sectarian fighting. For this reason, the Lebanese Army has

The Phalange were busy

yesterday presenting some chill-ing evidence of the deaths of at hands of Druze in the mountains outside Beirut. Although no independent witnesses have yet found evidence of their deaths. Two young boys and an older man from the village of Bratiam in Syrian occupied territory claimed yesterday that civilians had been killed.

Arafat accepts UN

From Alan McGregor Genera Mr Yassir Arafat said yesterday per cent are under occupation, he was willing to cooperate with the United Nations to achieve a just Middle East solution.

He told the UN International Conference on Palestine that he the substitution of one person for the conference on Palestine that he the substitution of one person for the conference on Palestine that he the substitution of one person for the conference of the conference favoured a new high-level meet-ing with both superpowers another at the top was of little significance while policies continued unchanged. He praised the As far as the Palestine Liber-

negotiating role

courage of progressive Jewish forces, inside and outside Israel, working for an accommodation ation Organization was con-cerned, this had to be on the basis of the right to self-determination, and national independence. with the Palestinia In addition to criticizing United States policy, he said the arabs were tired of mere lip-service from western Europe. Asked He was asked if the PLO was prepared to accept Security Council Resolution 242, provid-

ing a guarantee of Israeli's about divisions in the PLO, he security within its pre-1967 said it was not the first time they borders. He replied: "Sixty per had faced difficulties cent of my people are refugees, 40; Shamir profile, page 5

## square miles of the Muslim sector garage where we had gone for on fire by shells, apparently fired of the city still under the control safety from bombardments, and from the Beirut region.

It is now preparing to redeploy some of its armour in the Christian east of the city to prove that it will no more tolerate a Christian Phalangist militia presence than it will a Muslin one.

Bassam Ashkar, aged 14, described at a Phalangist press conference how Druze gunmen shot dead his mother, grand-mother, two brothers and his three year-old sister.

#### Syrian Army control - on Thursday evening. They found loads of young men, many still in their pyjamas, were taken away to east Beirut for interrogation. Druze gunmen there by no trace of any bodies. Several houses in While some of those arrested the village had been destroyed said later that they had been well some months ago - there were treated at least one prisoner was beaten up by a soldier unsing a "Three gunmen came into the another house had just been set rifle butt. Rain dampens zeal of

peace protesters From Michael Binyon, Bonn

The traditional Nato autumn continuous rain, demoralized exercises involving some 250,000 demonstrators at the military soldiers in Germany and other depot at Mutlangen were debating West European countries were opened yesterday in Ramstein because of its apparent ineffectiveness.

The Perships I missiles and Nato Supreme Commander, as

German peace demonstraters of the military vehicles have all kept up their blockade of left the base, the gates are locked American bases elsewhere.

Referring indirectly to the protest action at Muttangen, in Protestors called for a human protest action at Muttangen protest action at Muttangen protest action southern Germany, and to the chain to the other base at blockade that began yesterday at Schwabish Gmund, but decided the air base at Bithing, General Rogers said the soldiers from the 13 Nato countries involved had clear instructions to avoid any confrontation with demon-

The Pershing I missiles and

not to set up other blockades. Bonn condemned the protests, saying the demonstrators were addressing their complaints to the my confrontation with demon-strators. wrong people. The soldiers in the bases were doing their duty for Meanwhile, after a night of peace, a statement said.

# CHAD

## French deny bombing

The French Defence Ministry last night denied a claim by the Libyan backed rebel forces in Government held south,

rebel held territory, nor engaged in any fighting, the ministry said. Chad government officials in Ndjamena claimed early yesterday that government forces had been that the attack had been repulsed. Soon after, the rebels, led by Mr Goukouni Oneddei put out a statement claiming that French Jaguars had bombed rebel held positions at Oum Chalouba during a "provocative attack" by French backed forces. According to informed sources

here, the battle between the

the first for nearly a month - took

place in the no-man's land between Oun Chalouba and

Arada, the first town south of the

"red line", where French troops are stationed.

### by the Phalange, together with the names and ages of those who are true then the Syrians will also permitted an atrocity to occur in an area under their military Chad rebels

From Diana Geddes Paris

Chad that French aircraft had bombed the rebel held town of Oum Chalouba in the north, close to the "red line" that divides the rebel occupied north from the Jaguar fighter bombers, flown

by French pilots, had been involved in training missions over territory in the southern sector, but had not ventured over

# Minister.

European - are competing to improve the terms of their final offers. The British visit was clearly an

> or even sheer socialist kinship, was more persuasive. An authoritative source re-vesled that the Greek decision is to buy inexpensive American F16C fighters from General Dynamics and, against strong objections from the Greek Air Force, the Mirage 2000, possibly on a 60-to-40 ratio.

Ostensibly Mr Heseltine was to sign with the Greeks a memor-andum of understanding on

## مكذا من رلامل

عكذا من زلامنل

### Man in the news: Yitzhak Shamir

## Mild-mannered leader with will of steel

select Mr Yitzhak Shamir as the man most likely to become the seventh Prime Minister of Israel has dashed any hopes that the departure of Mr Menashen Begin

might lead to a more flexible approach to the Middle East If anything Mr Shamir - who opposed the signing of Camp David treaty with Egypt - is

ing on the Palestinian issue. His election was being widely bailed yesterday as a victory for the ultra-hawks and for the party's At the age of 67, Mr Shamir

has spent his four years in government in the shadow of Mr Begin, with whom he shares an identical view about the future of the occupied West Bank and the hardline defence policy. What he lacks is the charisma of the retiring Prime Minister and his popular following.
Had Mr Begin chosen to
express a preference for the two

men competing to succeed him, there is little doubt that he would have plumped for Mr Shamir, who represents the last of the generation of Isruel's founding athers. Whereas Mr David Levy might have explored new avenues, Mr Shamir is expected to stick solidly within already prescribed guidelines.

Like Mr Begin, Mr Shamir (born Yazernitsky) was born in Poland and joined the extreme right-wing Betar Youth Move-ment of the Revisionist party. Its both sided of the Jordan river, and he shares the conviction about Israel's biblical right to severeignty over the whole of the West Bank.

Reticent by nature and a poor orator with none of Mr Begin's grasp of language, Mr Shamir has been accused by Israeli doves of being unnecessarily provoca-tive in his assertion of Israel's claim to the West Bank. Asked last year to justify the claim be responded with the memorable Hebrew phrase "Kacha" (It is

partly from his background as

The vote of the Herat Party to the wanted leader of the Stern Gang and later as one of the leading undercover operatives for the Mossad, Israel's Secret

> The Stern Gang - known to its members as the "Israel Freedom Fighters" - was reviled by the British as more ruthless than Mr Begin's rival Irgan Jewish terror group from which it broke away in 1940 over an ideological split that Mr Shamir did not finally resolve with his predecessor until 13 years ago.

Mr Shamir has always refused to discuss his part in the battle against the British, but he is credited with having masterminded two of the worst atrocities the assassination in Cairo of Lord Moyne, the British Minister Resident in the Middle East and the nurder in Jerusalem in 1948 of Count Folke Bernadotte, the United Nations mediator.

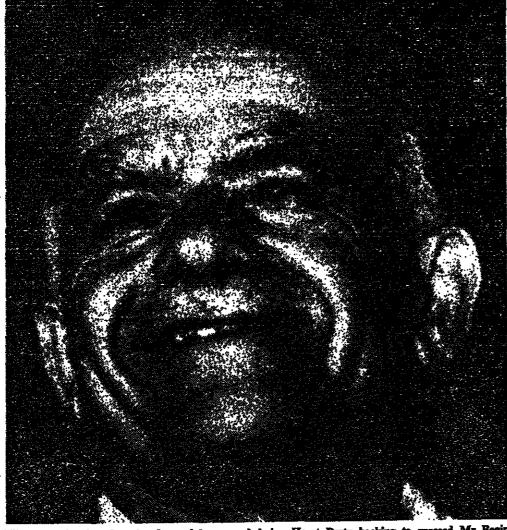
the United Nations mediator.

During much of the campaign
Mr Shamir was on the ran,
sometimes disguised as a Polish
soldier and sometimes as a
partially blind man in dark
glasses. He was detained three
times by the British and escaped
on every occasion, the last time
by tunnelling from a prison camp
in Eritree from where be in Eritrea from where he eventually escaped via Djibouti to France (evading attempts to have him extradited en route).

Visiting dignitaries often find it hard to reconcile the small, affable, avencular-looking man they meet in the Foreign Ministry (he took over from the late Moshe Dayan in 1979) with the notorious underground fight-er who for 10 years was also known as one of the Mossad's most successful agents. Israel's prospective Prime Minister has never spoken of his years in the secret service (from 1955 to 1965) beyond describing them tantalizingly, as "the most exciting and often the most dangerous in my

for part of the period he was overall chief of Mossad oper-ations in Europe from his undercover base in Paris. A latecomer to politics, he noined Herut in 1970 and rese rapidly, becoming the Knesset's

Ups and downs of two European leaders



Winning smile: Mr Shamir after gaining overwhelming Hernt Party backing to succeed Mr Begin

in 1977. Although regarded as having performed competently if without a great deal of flair as Foreign Minister, he was widely criticized for his conduct during the Lebanon war. In Israel he was attacked for failing to stand up to Mr Ariel Sharom, the Defence Minister who played a key role in securin his election yesterday - and subsequently his career narrowly

him for failing to heed an early warning about the slaughter in Sabra and Chatila camps

The warning came from a fellow Cabinet minister who rang him after being tipped off by an Israeli journalist. The com-mission determined that Mr Shamir had erred but reced no action against bim. His reaction to the report was attacked by one Israeli diplomatic correspondent under the headline "Shamir a Shame". Unlike Mr Levy, Mr Shamir has never displayed his political

ambitions openly and has stu-diously avoided making enemies inside the Likud. Outsiders should br wary of his deceptively mild-mannered approach "The Party was not looking for

change," said one Israeli com-mentator, "and they are not going to ket it."

### US cargo plane missing in Angola

By Richard Dowden

An American Hercules aircraft carrying diesel fuel to Angola's diamond mines disappeared last Saturday as it prepared to land deep inside Angola. One theory is that it was shot down by Unita guerrilles.
The Transamerica L100

Hecules, on contact to the Angolan diamond company Diamang had four United States crew on board and three Diamans employees. In the hold was 20,000 litres of diesel.

According to one report the pilot asked the control tower at Dundo, centre of the diamond mines, to switch on the airstrip lights. He than remarked that the beacon was rather weak. It is slightly out of position and pilots have complained about it before.
All contact with the aircraft was the aircraft was then lost. No wreckage has been found and the search is hampered by a haze of dust and smoke from small dry eason bush fires.

The aircraft was due to fly on to the mining town of Lucapa and one theory is that the co-pilot, who was making his first trip, accidentally entered the Lucapa data into the flight computer. Had he done so the aircraft would have crashed into the escarpment west of Lucapa. Despite threats. Unita guer-

rillas have not so far attacked the diamond mines though they have destroyed lorries and a bridge on the main road from the mines to Luanda. The fact that Unita have not yet claimed responsibility suggests they had no part in its

lisappearance. When I flew in the same Hercules exactly a week before it disappeared the pilot said he did not fear attack by Unita because they would not be so stupid as to shoot down an American aircraft.

Transamerica, a United States airline which specializes in difficult cargo routes, has been flying in Angola since 1978 but because the United States does not recognize Angola it does not publicize this operation The Hercules flew mainly

### Letter from Banjul

## Turning a shotgun wedding into union

delivery sends a flash of dust into the air, to drift slowly away in the hot afternoon as spectators lounge around the ground which is this town's main square. On Independence Day, or other special occasions, Sir Dawda Jawara, Gambia's President, will displace the cricketers to review a parade of choolchildren or welcome a head of state.

On the roads surrounding the round are faded notices, their letters peeling in the sun, sternly warning Hackney carriages not

A few miles from this capital of mainly one or two-storey buildings, strangely reminiscent of the Caribbean, stands a barracks. A sparkling signboard proclaims: "Gendarmeric". The old and the new signs

sum up what has happened in Gambia in the two years since young, left-wingers briefly seized power here while Sir Dawda, an Edinburgh-trained veterinary surgeon, who likes his golf, and has run this small African country since indepen-dence on a remarkably free rein, was away in London attending the Prince of Wales's wedding.

At Sir Dawda's request President Abdou Diouf of whose country surounds Gambia on all its land frontiers, moved in troops, restored order and Sir Dawda's

Gambia then agreed to enter a confederation with Senegal -many Gambians believe it was a shotgun wedding – and since then a Senegalese military presence has remained here. guarding the airport, the President's office and other strategic

tary presence is unpopular with some Gambians it has been very good for law and order and so for tourism - up by more than 20 per cent this year in a generally depressed world mar-

The British colony of Gambia was always a geographical oddity and an irritant to the French in colonial times, and to the Senegalese since indepen-dence since it partially cut off Senegal's southernmost province, Casamance, from the rest

of the country. In Victorian times, Paris and London worked out a neat deal whereby Gambia would be ceded to France in exchange for what is now part of the Ivory Coast, which would have been added to the Gold Coast. But on receiving protests from her loyal subjects in Gambia, Her Majesty was not amused and the

idea was dropped.

Ironically, the people who protested at Gambia's proposed demise were mainly this town's merchants, the very people whose successors stand to lose most from the growing closeness of the new confederation. For in recent years Gambia has prospered not just from its groundnuts but from its lower tariffs which make the smuggling of consumer goods into Senegal a profitable

President Diouf has gone out of his way not to appear to be some sort of black colonialist and the coming together of the two countries is being taken at an easy pace, with each step being subject to votes in the two countries' parliaments. This process is given credibility since the two countries share a rare attribute in African politics: both are democracies with genuine elections and opposition par-

ties in Parliament.
They are ethnically similar, with Gambia's main language groups prevalent in Senegal, but inherit their main differences from colonial times. Senegal's official language is French and Gambia's is English.

This not only complicates verbal communication but the French and British have bequeathed legacies even to the thought patterns of the two countries' present black admin-istrators. Mr Hochtar Kébé, an official in Senegal's diplomatic mission here, spread his arms wide in a Gallic gesture to announce with a mixture of exasperation and admiration: There are no theoreticians in

He explained that he had been very struck by the way Gambians conducted government business. In Senegal there were endless debates on questions of principle, while he found the Gambians much

Though Senegal has six times the area and population of its new partner - six million to about 600,000 - he thought the Senegalese could learn from the Gambians how to simplify the nightmarishly complicated, bureaurcratic, paperwork they have inherited from the French. Here in Banjul, it is virtually certain that they will go on

laying cricket. But the Senegalese in their well-cut suits look set to stay. So the best guess is that Gambia, like some rusticated, old soldier, will not die: it will simply fade

**Godfrey Morrison** 

## **Boost for Mitterrand image**

Public confidence in President Mitterrand and in his ability to solve France's difficulties has begun to rise for the first time since the introduction of the second austerity plan last March.
A series of good economic results, the President's firm handling of the crisis in Chad, and

optimistic predictions for a quiet rentrée on the industrial front after the summer holidays, are all thought to have contributed to the Mitterrand's image in the opinion

According to the authoritative Sofres poll, published today in the Figaro magazine, those lacking confidence in President Mitterrand are still in a majority, but their proportion had dropped sharply from 58 per cent in July to 51 per cent now. The proportion expressing confidence in M Mitterrand has risen from 40 per

cent to 43 per cent. The opposition parties appear to have lost favour in the public's eyes over the same period.
According to another poll in La l'ie Française, only 41 per cent consider that the opposition is carrying out its role properly visa-vis the Government, compared

with 58 per cent in June. The comparative good set of economic indices with which the Government was blessed over the summer holidays has made people think that the unpopular austerity plan may at last be

The trade deficit for July was down to 3 billion francs (£247m), and the Government looks as if it is on target to achieve its aim of keeping the total deficit for the have decided to keep quiet, and year to around 60 billion francs, compared with last year's record deficit of 93 billion francs. Prices in July rose by 0.9 per



M Mitterrand: Public confidence rising

the rate of inflation for May, June and July to its lowest level over the same period for more than 10

Inflation is running at an annual rate of 9.4 per cent, compared with 14 per cent just over a year ago. The Government is confident that can be brought down further to approach its 8 per cent target by the end of the year.

The unemployment figures look particularly healthy, with a slight fall registered for July, bringing the total to 2,033,000 or under 9 per cent of the workforce. This is less than the total a year ago, though the number of longterm unemployed has risen

France takes a legitimate pride in being the only industrialized nation outside Japan to have achieved such a feat during a period of severe economic diffi-

For the time being the unions earlier predictions of a "hot autumn" on the industrial front after the summer holidays look unlikely to be realized.

cent, which was slightly higher There may be ritual cries of than hoped, but which brought alarm, particularly after the

tember 21 of further austerity measures, including increases in taxation, as part of the 1984 budget package. But the rank and file are in no mood for a direct confrontation with the Govern-

ment, at least no yet. Storm clouds are gathering in summer's blue skies, however. No can be contained for much longer There are predictions of 200,000 more unemployed by the end of the year, and 500,000 more by the end of 1984.

There is a danger of a flash point being created by big lay-offs in certain particularly hard-hit sectors, such as steel, paper, textiles, mining and the car

Inflation may be coming down. but it is still double that of France's main competitors, and many doubt whether the Government will be able to achieve its inflation target next year of 4 to 5 per cent. Most forecasts, including some by the Government's own experts, put the rate at nearer 6 to

That does not bode well for national wage negotiations with the unions in the public sector,

due to begin next month. Not only will there be anger over the Government's now inevitable refusal to honour its promise (economic conditions permitting), to increase wages in line with inflation this year, should inflation rise higher than the 8 per cent predicted; but there will also be stiff union resistance to any attempt by the Government to try to limit next year's wages to a mere 5 per cent.

As for the trade deficit, the Government may succeed achieving its target of cutting last year's record deficit by a half by the end of April, 1984, but there is considerable scepticism as to its ability to eliminate the remaining deficit by the end of 1984.

## Child killer dies in

Parchman, Mississippi (NYT) Jimmy Lee Gray, convicted in 1976 of murdering a three-year-old girl after kidnapping and sodomizing her, was executed early yesterday in the gas

chamber at the Mississippi State Penitentiary here. It was the first execution in the state in 19 years

to delay the execution. It marked the end of a series of appeals which had delayed the execution for almost seven years.

chamber just after midnight and a few minutes later, the gas was

the US this year. The Supreme Court's decision was contained in 2 once-paragraph order. Gray, from Whittier, Califor

then threw her body off a bridge. At the time of the kidnapping, he was on parole from an Arizona prison, where he had served

## Andropov overture given warm welcome in China

conciliatory statement, President Li Xiannian said yesterday that China welcomed the call by President Andropov of the Soviet Union for better Sino-Soviet relations, and sincerely hoped for normal ties after years of

In a speech welcoming King Husain of Jordan, Li said there were still grave obstacles in the way of normal relations between the former allies, but China hoped they could be removed.

President Andropov's call last weekend for an end to the tension existing since the Sino-Soviet split of the 1960s. Foreign diplomatic analysts called it the most positive Chinese

response so far to repeated Soviet overtures and could indicate a cautious new openness on China's

According to a transcript of his from Afghanistan, and a remarks released by the Foreign duction of Soviet forces along the Ministry, President Li said: Sino-Soviet border and in Mongo-There is no denying that grave

normalizing relations between China and the Soviet Union. This is known to all.

"We sincerly hope that these obstacles will be removed, so that China and the Soviet Union can develop normal state relations on the basis of the five principles of

an important signal just before the visit by Mr Mikhail Kapitsa, Soviet deputy foreign minister, for exploratory talks on September 8, and before the third round of formal Sino-Soviet talks in Peking early next month.

China has said repeatedly that end to Soviet support for dia, withdrawal of Soviet troops

### Senator **Jackson** dies at 71

Everett, Washington (AP) -Senator Henry Jackson died on Thursday night aged 71 after a heart attack.

Senator Jackson, twice candidate for the Democratic party's presidential nomination, was his party's senior member on the Senate armed services committee, and was third on the Senate seniority list. He entered the Senate in 1953 after serving in the House of Representatives for

12 years. He sought his party's presiden tial nomination in the 1972 and 1976 campaigns, losing to Mr George McGovern the first time and Mr Jimmy Carter the second.

In 1960, Senator Jackson was one of the contenders for the vice presidential nomination on John F. Kennedy's ticket, which eventually went to Lyndon Johnson Instead, he became the democratic national chairman.

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### Guerrilla confesses to murder

A former student and member of the Popular Liberation Forces has confessed to the murder of a US adviser, Lieutenant-Com-mander Albert Schaufelberger, the Salvadorean police announced

The police showed reporters what they said was a videotape of the confession and then allowed

Señor Alvarado, who said he was a member of the guerrilla group for nearly a year, admitted he was one of five insurgents who carried out the murder of Commander Schaufelberger on

The young man with curly

"In any case I think that the message we wanted to send to the American people was received. Some way we are all involved in the objective, which is to change the present system to a system

The American adviser was assassinated while he was sitting in his car near the University of

friend and colleague Al Schauseiberger," Mr Donald Hamilton, the embassy press officer, said. Señor Alvarado, who was arrested in the capital on August 25 said he had been a student in Santa Tecla, 15 miles from the

Señor Alvarado also confessed to being a co-conspirator in the assassination on June 28 of Senor Rene Barrio Amaya, a deputy from the far-right Haundnal Republican Alliance. Señor Barrio was shot as he drove away from

his home in the capital.

• CARACAS: Mr Richard Stone, the US special envoy to Central America, said here that the outlook for peace in El Salvador had improved after a meeting he held with Salvadorean left-wing guerrillas in Costa Rica on Tuesday (Reuter reports).

the problem now was to convince the guerrillas to take part in elections due early next year and abandon their campaign against the US-backed Salvadorean

## Relaxed Kohl accused of indecision

From Michael Binyon,

Criticism is growing in West Germany that Chancellor Helmut Rohl, who has enjoyed a long honeymoon since his election victory in March, is failing to show decisvie leadership over the important political and economic

In the past week, commentators have suggested that unless he gest a grip quickley, he will fast lose the support of his party and the country.

The Left-wing magazine Stern

said there was growing disap-pointment among Dr Kohl's supporters and it suggested the economic upswing which he promised during the election campaign was not coming about. Stern said it was not certain whether Dr Kohl could push through his austerity measures. It critized his lack of economic policy and said that on the missile deployment question he had been

clutching at straws. In order to shine as the jovial Chancellor, Dr Kohl was simply refusing to take a stand on controversies dividing his co-

alition. Similar criticisms have been voiced by the more influential weekly Die Zeit, which said it was high time he made some decisions. He stood on a pedestal of popularity at the moment, but the electorate was waiting to see whether he could deliver on his

There is no doubt that the Chancellor has deliberately de-cided to adopt a relaxed ap-



almost over

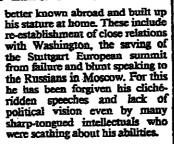
proach. Unlike his predecessor, Herr Helmut Schmudt, he often leaves important decisions to colleagues and is content to listen to others rather than insist they listen to him.

His avuncular manner and refusal to be ruffled are intended to give an impression of calm confidence and he does not feel the need to speak out on world Germans, however, like to be

ted and to see a statesman of stature at the helm. They would rather a chancellor said too much

than too little, would prefer to see

his stamp on the Government than bave a coalition where different voices speak at different discussion of proposals and discussion of proposals and Until now Dr Kohl has criticisms made by Herr Ernst infounded his critics and Albrecht, the CDU Prime Minis-

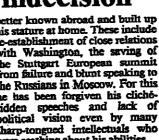


But many people were sur-

down quarrels by saying little.

the recovery of the economy. On the first, the Chancellor has decided to stand firmly beside the Americans and make no concessions to the peace movement.

economy and tackle tmemploy-Dr Kohl has called for a fari



prised that the Chancellor took a whole month's holiday. They had hoped he would make his presence more firmly felt on his return and use his authority and political acumen to stamp out the bickering among his coalition partners. So far he has chosen instead not to react and play

Two main challenges face Dr Kohl: the weathering of the deployment of Nato missiles and

On the second, he appears less resolute, as the issues are more complex. A debate is going on within the Christian Democratic party about ways to stimulate the

confounded his critics and Albrecht, the CDU Prime Minissurprised his opponents by a ter of Lower Saxony. But he has series of successful foreign policy yet to outline his own strategy in Catholic Church's biggest and most series of successful foreign policy yet to outline his initiatives which have made him convincing detail. elite order have been in an unpre-

## gas chamber

The 34-year-old inmate's final sope of winning a reprieve was United States Supreme Court, in 2 6-3 decision, rejected a request

Gray was brought into the

Prison officials said he was dead within two minutes, but other witnesses, including four journalists, said he was still gasping for breath and convols-ing eight minutes later. It was the second execution in

nia, was convicted of mardering Deressa Jean Scales. He tok the girl to a wooded area 30 miles from her home in Pascagoula, sodomized her, pressed her face into the mud to suffocate her and

seven years of a 20-year sentence for the 1968 murder of his 16year-old fiancée

## Peking (AP) - In an important obstacles exist in the way of

peaceful coexistence. His statement was regarded as It was China's first response to

> the Soviet Union must meet three conditions before relations can return to normal. These are an Vietnam's occupation of Cambo-

## Right to sing upheld

From Michael Hamlyn, Delhi

Usha Uthup, a Calcutta pop singer, has won a declaration from a judge that she may not be hanned from appearing in concert halls controlled by the Communist-led government of West

Rengai. "Freedom of the media and of singing is part of the freedom of expression", the judge, Justice P. C. Barooah of the Calcutta high court said, "Pop and disco therefore cannot be universally condemned. Everyone has the right to sing or dance."

Mr Jatin Chakraborty, the minister in charge of the Public Works Department in West Bengal, had banned Mrs Uthup from appearing in any hall under his control, saying that her music

vas decadent The judge said: "No minister can appoint himself the guardian of the public mind. The minister said that the average man will not approve of pop and disco. I doubt whether the younger group would subscribe to this view."



## Pope issues sharp reminder to Jesuits

The Pope celebrating Mass in Rome yesterday at the opening of the Jesuit general congregation, which is to elect a new Superior-General. On the extreme left is Father Paolo Dezza, acting head of the order, and on the extreme right Father Guiseppe Pittan, his assistant.

which is also due to return the order to normality - the Pope called on the Jesuits to conduct themselves in a manner worthy of their vocation (John Earle writes).
The 26,000 members of the Roman

Addressing the congregation -

cedented and humiliating situation for the last two years. They have been administered by the Pope's delegate, Father Dezza, after being admonished for their frequent involvement in social and political problems and for tendencies towards liberal teachines.

It was unprecedented, too, for a Pope to attend and concelebrate Mass at the opening of the congregation, the thirty-third in the Society of Jesus's 442-year history. The Mass was attended by 220 electors from all continents, as well as by Father Pedro Arrupe, the Superior-General.

Three times during his address the Pope emphasized the need for Jesuits

to lead a life worthy of their vocation. He took as his text a passage from St Paul's epistle to the Ephesians and said: "So I too exhort you to conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the vocation you have received, to preserve attentively the unity of spirit by the peace that binds you together."

cans, whose general congregation has been meeting here since last week, elected Father Aloysius Byrne, of Ireland, as their head, to succeed Father Vincent de Couesnongle, a Frenchman, whose term has expired. There are 7,418 Dominicans.

Elsewhere in Rome, the Domini-

## From Lydia Chavez (New York Times) San Salvado

them to question the former engineering student, Señor Pedro Daniel Alvarado Rivera, aged 23, who will be tried by a military court.

black hair, was handcuffed and appeared tired and nervous as he talked to reporters. He said: "I didn't know him. but the week before I went three times to observe him, the people and the area before being assigned to the

where there is justice".

Central America.

The police said they were still looking for an unidentified driver and a man called Juan Jose, who were said to have been involved. We hope the efforts of the police in capturing a key suspect will result in justice being done with regard to the murder of our

capital, before joining the guerrilla group.

He did not elaborate but said



## THE TIMES **DIARY**

#### Acid test

On Monday the Royal Society will announce substantial funding from the National Coal Board and the Central Electricity Generating Board for research into the acid rain which is blighting northern Europe's lakes and

The programme's governing body, chaired by Sir John Mason, director-general of the Meteorological Office, will include representatives from Norway and Sweden. Sceptical ecolonorway and Sweeter. Scepucal ectologists would not be surprised if one of the first generous grants goes to Professor Ivan Rosenqvist of Oslo University, who argues that acidification stems from the Scandinavian abandonment of such good old agricultural practices as clearing forests to fire and burging stear in the fields. by fire and burning straw in the fields. Phew, what a scorcher!

Preserved thought

Frank Dunlop, who succeeds John Drummond as director of next year's Edinburgh Festival, was first associated with the event in the 1950s, when he was on the fringe with the Oxford Theatre Group. He tells me that while manning their box office, and simultaneously munching jam sandwiches, he sold the late Tom Driberg a ticket with jam on it. Driberg wrote a rather fruity piece slating the show (which included Maggie Smith) in which he laid it on rather thick about his sticky ticket. "I thought my career was ruined", the director-designate

#### Biting remark

Despite the above, Ralph Brereton, the Conservative leader of Edinburgh city council, finds Dunlop "a man who knows how to combine style and class with popular appeal". This is in marked contrast to Brereton's opinion of John Drummond, who resigned because of insufficient financial support from the city. Brereton accuses Drummond of "biting the hand that feeds him" and says the real problem has been inadequate public debate about the future of the festival. "We nced a totally professional festival director", says Brereton. "Rather than an enthusiast who expects everyone else to think as he does himself".

#### Nerve-racking

Charles Copson, the British Council representative in Djakarta, who ventured where no mandarin had been before to bring a Gamelan troupe from Bali to the Edinburgh Festival, has made himself so popular with the Balinese that they have invited him back for a teeth-filing ceremony. "Not quite my idea of culture", he wrote last week to the festival organizers. Still, he might just get by with a stiff upper lip.

♠ A PHStringer, celebrating Edinhurgh's late night extension on Thursday night, tottered through the doorway of the nearest tavern, the Rose hecause they were too full. "I've been refused drink often". he muttered hemusedly, "but I've never heard that hefore".

**BARRY FANTONI** 



"Quit while you're ahead, I always say"

#### On the tiles

David Levy, the unsuccessful candidate for the succession to Menachem Begin, has long been a figure of fun in Israeli politics because of his Sephardi origins and lack of formal education. One of a spate of Levy jokes goes: David Levy was invited to a party, and when he arrived he climbed up on the roof. A friend shouted: "David, what are you doing up there?" and Levy replied: "I was told drinks would be on the house". This joke may

An American company is advertis-ing its latest product as Robot Redford.

### Doodlebugged

I have got a rocket from John Bagley, curator of the aeronatucal collection at the Science Museum, for suggesting, quite wrongly, that he had lost track of the museum's unexploded VI doodle-bug. Though the museum's Japanese kamikaze plane, of the type prettily named Cherry Blossom, has been sent on loan to the Fleet Air Arm Museum at Yeovilton to make way for a Rolls-Royce RB-211, the VI hangs where it has hung these last 20 years. Only last week Bagley was copying the handling instructions painted on its side for the benefit of the Germans, who want to restore their bomb, at the Deutsches Museum, Munich, to prime condition. Whether the Science Museum would lend its VI to Portsmouth council for next year's D-Day anniversary, I doubt. As yet Portsmouth has not



cine yesterday. There was a fault on was a fault on the exchange at the Howland Street headquarters where the Merlin office autodivision is housed. All calls to 01-631 2345 were going through to a weary-sounding man who said: "There's a fault. All the

British Telecom got a

calls are coming through to me. I will try to get you back to the switchboard".

PHS an unsolicited giant statue, a gift from the French. Some gift, people

## Save this vanishing farm species

The Government says it wants to reverse the sharp fall in the number of tenant farmers from 380,000 in 1910 to fewer than 60,000 today. It will soon present a Bill based on proposals by the National Farmers Union and the Country Landowners Association. But some of the most experienced landlords say tenants will remain an endangered

Tenancies have become scarcer as farms have increased in size, and thus fewer. Rents tendered for them have been driven up as a

The Agricultural Holdings Acts of 1948 and 1958 gave tenants lifetime security of tenure (extended by the Labour government in 1976 to three generations); in return, they provided a mechanism for bringing rents up to open market level every three years. The mechanism has not worked, partly because of the three-year time lag partly because - a further consequence of the scarcity of tenancies - evidence of the going rate has become harder for the landlord or his agent

There are other discouragements to letting. A landowner who farms his own land can claim many tax-free benefits on the earned income; if he lets, the rent is taxed as investment income.

Those who do let are more interested in

A public rally in Trafalgar Square today will mark the beginning of a vast

campaign to persuade London to be born again." Not many steps behind it is a similar and linked campaign for

the rest of England. They are designed to peak next summer, but the bandwagon, and the ballyhoo, start

The men in front will be the two

istic circuit, Dr Billy Graham and Dr Luis Palau. It is Palau who will address the masses in Trafalgar Square. At this

stage he will be preaching to the converted, for the first move is always

to motivate the forces already committed. These people will later

tramp the streets, knocking on doors and giving out the literature. The

Palau campaign's ambitious objective

is to canvass every house in the capital, between two and three million of them.

Dr Graham is no stranger to Britain: when younger and flashier, his great rallies in London made headline news.

in the 1950s and 1960s, and it is still

not uncommon to meet Anglican

clergymen, now in middle age, who

date their first serious interest in

religion to those heady occasions. It is still the same basic formula: attract

large crowds, move them with words,

prayers and music, and invite them to

"come forward" to make their commitment to Christ.

less powerful a preacher than Dr

Graham at his peak, it is said. They

both have a remarkable sense of

timing, a sense of theatre, the capacity

to be witty, self-effacing and "laid

back", and to project with passionate sincerity their own deep religious

convictions in a manner that almost

commands a response. It is a rare and

Luis Palau, the less well known of

the two, is an Anglo-Argentine whose

success so far has been on the other

side of the Atlantic, in the United States and Latin America. Protestant

evangelists from the US have always

made Latin America one of their

prime concerns, sometimes with

questionable results. Dr Palau was first

Dr Palau, the younger man, is no

come forward

by Harry Kidd

long-term capital appreciation than in heavily taxed cuts, so rents paid by sitting tenants are generally little more than half those obtainable on the open market.

Given these factors, many landlords are reluctant to let because their land is worth more vacant than tenanted. A vicious circle develops: lettings become scarcer still and the vacant premium higher, and so on ad

Under the NFU-CLA proposals which form the basis of the new Bill, security of tenure for new tenancies would be reduced to one generation; the rent formula used in the three-year reviews would be changed and landowners who let would receive more favourable tax treatment.

The Church Commissioners, Oxford and Cambridge colleges and other charities which are some of the best-known landlords, that the reduction of security of tenure will make little or no difference until the existing three-generation system works itself out well in the next century. Tax concessions are not for the Ministry of Agriculture to give; if they materialize, they will have no effect on the tax-free charities or pension

funds, who also own large acreages of farmland.

We are left with the new rent formula. This breaks away from market value. Instead it requires account to be taken of what the farm could earn in the hands of a "competent but not brilliant farmer" (no doubt the NFU's assessment of its members) but gives no indication of how landlord and tenant should share the

It also says that account should be taken of the rents of comparable farms, but deducting any element of scarcity value. This would have the same distorting effect as the Rent Acts have had in housing: an attempt to produce a fair rent while ignoring the effect of supply and demand.

The effect, inevitably, will be to depress rents and increase the vacant possession premium. Owners who get possession will be further encouraged to sell or put in a manager, but on no account to let. Tenants will become an even faster diminishing

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#### Clifford Longley looks behind the latest evangelical campaign



A sense of theatre, a sense of timing: Dr Luis Palau on the eve of his London crusade

## Born again, the ballyhoo battle for Britain

the money to finance him

It was his triumphs in Guatemala which brought him international notice. His London office circulates pages of "crusade statistics" showing the gradual rise of his star from 18,000 "attendances" in Huancayo, Peru in 1967 to 828,000 in Guatemala City in 1982. In that campaign, his largest crowd matched that later drawn by the Pope. Guatemala is the most "bornagain" country outside the United States, and until very recently had a born-again President, General Rios

His association with Montt seems to have left its scars. Human rights abuses certainly continued in Guatemala after the general's appointment, and Dr Palau was sometimes challenged on this point, as if he were to blame. He would reply that Guatemala was "no picnic", that things were getting better all the time, and that the enemies of the state were atheists. But there is also a discernable sense of

persecution in Dr Palau's comments. Not long before Montt was deposed this summer. Dr Palau said: "I see an orchestration of propaganda around the world. And I have a good strong feeling that I know where it is coming from. It is not my position right now to say it. But I think that it is a political campaign coming under the He added: "It would be the saddest

discovered by American evangelists, day for Guatemala in many a century. antidote to the leftwards tendency in trained in Oregon, and, until he started his own operation in 1978, they raised should fall under false pretences. I February. But Mr Thomas insists that have already been praying and weeping with my fellow team members at the possible repercussions for many beloved Christians, and our beloved Christian leader in the country, if this should happen." It hardly needs spelling out that the strong fundamentalist Protestant movements in the

United States see the spread of their

faith to the masses in Central America

as the one sure Biblical answer to

Communism, and Dr Palau certainly of that ilk. It follows, of course, that his activities, and the work of Protestant issionaries in Latin America generally, are not welcomed by the Roman Catholic Church there. Dr Palau can certainly be acquitted of the sort of 19th century Protestant bigotry which saw Popery as the work of anti-Christ, and he talks of his many Roman

Catholic friends with respect and affection. But there is obvious rivalry. The London campaign will not be financed with funds raised in the US. it is said. The total estimated cost of nearly £2m will have to come from individual donations. There are some wealthy businessmen connected with the organizing committee, such as Sir Maurice Laing of the building company, Mr David Pickford of Haslemere Estates, and Sir Kenneth Cork, former Lord Mayor of London. The money is less crucial to the success of the campaign, however, than the

support it can attract in the evangelical churches in London. The claim is that a thousand congregations have already committed themselves, but the depth of commitment is yet to be tested.

The Luis Palau Mission to London also has the services of Mr Harvey Thomas in charge of its media office. He works for Conservative Central Office, where his duties include the annual party conference arrangements and the servicing of the party's committee against unilateral nuclear disarmament. He was partly respon-sible for the "Christians and Conservatives" conference, intended as an the crusade about to start has no political overtones, as does Mr Palau

Whatever the outcome, these modern crusaders know just how difficult success will be. In a special pre-crusade poll by Gallup, London in particular emerged as highly unpromising territory. Dr Tom Houston of the Bible Society, one of Dr Palau's associates, declared that Londoners were "hardened against God", and the hardest hearts of all were in the 16-20 age group, usually fertile material for

Meanwhile Dr Graham has been complaining that next year's work-load set for him outside London is too heavy. He was in any case, it seems, a little reluctant to undertake a fresh campaign in England, and Dr Palau was chosen by the London committee when it appeared that the more famous of the two would turn an invitation down. He is known to have refused an earlier approach, saying he did not think the time was right. In 1983, some evangelicals who ardently want these campaigns to succeed claim to detect a shift in public mood, even saying that England is on the edge of a spiritual revival. The harder heads in the Gallup organization, however, will privately admit that, if this is true, nothing in their poll confirms it. Born again Britain does seem, in prospect, a long way off.

of French-American friendship, a gift

to mark the centenary of American independence, she had her beginnings in the political turmoil of French

Republicans created her to further

their cause. They wanted an awe-in-

spiring emblem, symbolizing the very liberty that many Frenchmen felt was

Too strong a symbol for erection in

France itself, it was meant to be planted in the United States, a democratic republic French republi-

cans admired, as an inspiration and a focus. It was meant to be a grand

The allusions, however, were soon

In a chamber in the plinth there is

lost as the Statue of Liberty, originally called Liberty Enlightening the World, became America's badge. Today she is one of the most-visited of monuments:

absent in their own land.

political gesture

of the 1860s and 1870s.

#### **Peter Nichols**

## Tracing Orwell to the source

During Kenneth Tynan's stint as literary manager of the National Theatre, he suggested that I put together a programme of or about George Orwell. They needed a touring recital on the lines of the Shakespeare Company's Throne of Kings and Tynan knew of my enthusiasm for Orwell's work.

Orwell's work. He undertook to handle the problem of the widow Sonia, known to be a cantankerous keeper of the flame. In due course, she gave her permission and I began reading all I could find by and about the man she had married three months before his death of tuberculosis in 1950.

The more I read, the more my respect for him grew, especially as an essayist. The early novels are patchy and he had a poor ear for the way people speak. "I am not a real novelist anyway." he wrote in a letter. "One anyway." he wrote in a letter. "One has masses of experience which one passionately wants to write about and no way of using them up except by disguising them as a novel."

Animal Farm is flawless but 1984 backfired so wildly that he had to publish statements in two American rappers explaining what he had meant

papers explaining what he had meant. To another friend he wrote: "I think it is a good idea but the execution would have been better if I had not written it

under the influence of TB."

It was his intelligence I admired –
and his character. In cobbling together my Orwell show, Beasts of England, I honoured the wish expressed in his will that he wanted no biographies. It seemed to me that none was needed, that his life story character and opinions were to be found in what he

So that is what I compiled - a sedulous anthology, designed to show his growth from boy to man, with no word of mine or critical judgment to interfere. Even a description of his physical appearance - used only in a stage direction - was taken from George Woodcock's The Crystal Spirit. Mrs Orwell seems to have read no further. She told my agent I had got it wrong: he had never worn Viyella shirts or woollen ties, he had been a dandy. She withdrew her assent and

the project was dropped.

Just as well, I think. He deserves a more sceptical approach - and has since got it in such books as The

Nineteen eighty-four is almost upon us. Only 120 appraising days to go and a dense throng of reviewers, assessors, presenters and hacks is massed at the starting line like the entry for a marathon. Some have already jumped the gun. Even I have been asked three times to enter the lists, so lack of a track record is no drawback. And why wait for the off? By the time it comes there may be no one left. And I do mean Left.

During Kenneth Tynan's stint as literary manager of the National

I do not think we would have hit it off - he was too prudish, too bossy and in his day quite a buily. He might have thought me flippant. Yet I value him above all writers of modern times for setting the English experience within the main course of European history, while others of his class were being snobbish, hiding their eyes or retreating into some golden age.

In trying to avoid this, he leant too far backwards and stumbled into Room 101, which he afterwards regretted, calling it a vulgarity, though this part of his nightmare also came from doing time in the basement of the

So what did he mean to say in 1984? We had better trust his statement to an American trade unionist, a quick corrective to the whoops of joy with which the book had been greeted by right-wing Republicans: "My recent novel is not intended as an attack on Socialism or on the British Labour Party (of which I am a supporter) but as a show-up of the perversions to which a centralised economy is liable and which have already been partly realised in Communism and Fascism."

Given that it's a satire and an extrapolation of post-war Britain (1984=1948), and not a prophecy at all, what, today, would he find the had got right? One of his intentions was to point up the division of the world into zones of influence, and that certainly has come about, with its corollary that Britain has indeed become Airstrip

He would be surprised by a woman prime minister and might admire her qualities, especially those he shared, such as belligerence. He would not take kindly to her philistine pep talks, her doses of nasty medicine or her anger at the sound of another voice. She might have reminded him of Flip, the headmaster's wife in Such, such were the joys, of whom he wrote: "The rich boys had milk and biscuits in the middle of the morning, they were given riding lessons once or twice a week. Flip mothered them and called

#### **David Hughes**



Stylish survivors: some of the trial pieces made by Josiah Wedgwood for his dinner service for Empress Catherine of Russia

## On a plate, the taste of a graceful era

out on a quest or sharing someone else's. I was wintering in a friend's cottage in Sussex. Snow muffled the Downs, a log fire burned bright within. The setting was perfect for vicarious adventure, and my hand fell uner-ringly on a catalogue, published in a limited edition in 1909, of a dinner service made by Wedgwoods in 1774. Within minutes I was in the presence of a treasure hunt that led to one of the forgotten masterpieces of western art.

The illustrations in the book were not only of plates, but of servingdishes, glaciers, soup ladles, cream pots. On each of them was painted, in not bad imitation of the best of homely water-colour, a different scene. Eac dish reflected a facet of eighteenthcentury England. Here was Glaston-bury looking mystical a couple centuries ago, Westminster Bridge before Wordsworth saw it, Hampste with scarcely a house in sight. It had the air of an England we all mourn.

Indeed the dishes so much resemble early sketches of my own memories of these places that I felt gloriously time-warped. I had only to look at a mansion on a sauce-boat to feel I was living there in pre-Victorian luxury, but also eating richly off it throughout the nineteenth century, while now-adays hunched by a log fire regarding it merely as culture.

At the outset the history of this

magnificent earthenware made sad reading. Nine hundred and fifty-two pieces, decorated with 1,244 views of England at its classical apogee, had left Stoke-on-Trent in 1774 on a voyage to St Petersburg, then vanished into the silences of Russia for the better part of a century and a half.

Enter the hero in quest of a mystery.

Early in the 1900s a Dr G. C. Williamson, art historian and traveller, bought a Queen Anne house in Hampstead. Convinced that some past master must have pictured it - be wanted to hang his new home on its own walls - he discovered on local inquiry that no fewer than 27 versions of the Hampstead area existed on plates. These were identified as the Imperial Russian Dinner Service. Catherine the Great had commissioned from Josiah Wedgwood himself this huge toppling folly of crockery, so that her courtiers could wipe their gravy off a ruined abbey or fill the streets of London with caviare.

But what had happened to it? Amazingly the old firm could give Williamson no ciue. They still held the Trevor Fishlock records, of course. The unstable Catherine, news of whose assassin-

Few pleasures compare with setting ation was feared in every post, had out on a quest or sharing someone paid £2,600 more or less on the nail, A else's. I was wintering in a friend's few trial pieces had survived in the possession of the Wedgwood family. A cup and saucer had turned up in Liverpool. But most likely this fragile vision of old England - the hovels of the poor as liberally depicted as her architectural wonders - had been smashed to pieces by the vicissitudes. of time, war and indifference.

This wasn't good enough for Williamson. By now obstinate in his belief that he had glimpsed a token montage of the service while on holiday in St Petersburg, he parried the evasions of Russian officialdo a lengthy exchange of letters. They knew nothing and cared even less. He therefore wrote to the Tsar, who was graciously induced to cause to be photographed the few pieces - including to Williamson's joy, his own house from several angles - which appeared at first glance to be the sole survivors of the set. The quest seemd over. Williamson had found his home.

But fate, as if reluctant to let England be represented exclusively by Hampstead, now stepped in to arouse a royal interest in the search. The Tsar turned his palaces upside down. He had the pantries ransacked. And there, stacked, wrapped, neglected, coated with foreign dust. Iay most of the rest of that England of long ago. Little was broken. Art had come through. It must broken. Art had come through. It must have been like unveiling another century. And today, thanks to our man in Hampstead, this great banquet of pottery is displayed in the Hermitage in Leningrad, waiting for the package tours to respond to it with as much love and recognition as I did on picking up that book by the fire.

Indeed I have been excited by the dinner service ever since. Who can resist the thought, not just of a quest duly accomplished, but of tables of people in fancy dress mibbling and chattering over, scraping their knives on, slurping bortsch out of, and totally ignoring under their noses one of the most civilized eras in the story of man? It makes a meal of irony somehow, that first time we exported our culture whole, only to have it hidden away in Cupboards

l only wish the Kaiser had commissioned Wedgwoods to make a similar service, featuring the long golden Edwardian afternoon, just before the Great War. What fun we could have had with the metaphor!

The Imperial German Dinner Service, a novel by David Hughes, is published by Constable on Monday at £6.50.

## A facelift for America's most famous lady

New York America's colossal first lady, the 151ft Statue of Liberty, is to have a £20m facial, beauty treatment and overhaul, from the flame of her Torch of Enlightenment to the broken manacles

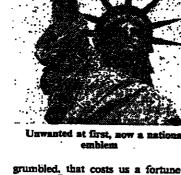
Scaffolding goes up next month and engineers will set to work to restore her rusty bones, buckled bodywork, weak right arm, corroded crown, decaying torch and her scarred and pitted integument. Americans are now saving to buy her a new dress so that she will be as good as new for her one hundredth birthday in 1986.

Her copper skin and iron framework have been damaged by atmospheric pollution, now known as acid rain, and the buffeting of storms.

The drive to raise funds for the restoration is an echo of the campaign a century ago to drum up the mone for the massive concrete plinth on which the statue stands at the entrance to New York harbour. The Americans then were reluctant, and the money had to be wrung from them. In time, of course, Liberty was to become much loved, a source of pride, the most powerful American symbol, more potent than the Stars and Stripes. It was the first sight that millions of immigrants had of the New World and has a special place in American

more than \$300,000 for a platform for

grumbled, that costs us a fortune to put up! Congress dragged its feet in approving a site, and the United States But in the 1880s the public was unenthusiastic about having to pay



In the end, Joseph Pulitzer, the newspaper proprietor, shamed America into paying for the plinth and installing the colossus with full honours. He ran a campaign in his New York World, and started by

attacking the rich for failing to contribute. This was good stuff in a popular newspaper, but Pulitzer also shrewd enough to publish the names of contributors to the statue fund, however small the donation. Liberty, the masterpiece of sculptor Frederic-Auguste Bartholdi and engineer Gustave Eiffel, was unveiled on October 28, 1886. Its face, incidentally, is that of M. Bartholdi's mother. Having been saved from looking stingy, Americans acclaimed the statue

made it very much their own. Emma Lazarus crystallized the grow-ing feeling about it in her poem, the new colossus, which is inscribed on the "Keep, ancient lands, your storied

omp", cries she With silent lips. "Give me your tired, your poor, Your huddled masses yearning to breathe free."

thousands of people every day take the short boat out to Liberty Island and ascend to her crown to gaze out at It was not long before the statue became a dramatic American motif, its Manhattan's towers. image employed on posters to raise money for war bonds and to stir patriotism. It was soon used, too, in advertising for all manner of commercial products and political and social causes. Poor M. Bartholdi had hoped to make some money from royalties on miniatures of his statue, but he struck a bad deal with a cunning manufacturer and made little. Liberty's transformation into an American symbol, and the subsequent use of her image, is a long way from the intentions of her original French

an exhibition showing the uses to which the statue's image has been put in posters and pop art. She is sho wearing carphones and a T-shirt to promote a radio station. And she is drawn with her skirt blown up around her thighs, as in the famous picture of Marilyn Monroe. Americans have always felt free to take a liberty with their most famous lady.

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### TRUST SHOT DOWN

The shock, outrage and revolsion registered around the world at the deliberate destruction of a civilian aircraft which strayed over Soviet territory have caused a marked deterioration in East-West relations. Horror at the scale of the disaster, sympathy for the bereaved, and anger against those responsible have fused in a general determination that such a catastrophe should not happen again. The incident exhibits all that is worst in the Soviet system: the morbid paranoia, untruthfulness, obsessive secrecy, and brutal disregard for human suffering resulting from the pursuit of political aims of doubtful value.

Was it all a terrible mistake? The inevitable outcome of the international tensions which place deadly weapons in the hands of inexperienced young pilots so afraid of not fulfilling their duty that they go far beyond what is required? No: the evidence supplied by Washington and Tokyo based on careful monitoring of communications between Soviet aircraft and ground control shows that this was not some crime by a solitary fool or madman. The United States will surely substantiate these accusations, which already seem to be confirmed by the reluctance of the Soviet authorities to collaborate in establishing the full truth. Their claim of CIA involvement is the hackneyed response in an attempt to divert responsibility.

It is generally agreed that Korean Airlines (KAL) Flight 007 crashed with the loss of 269 lives on the night of 31 August to 1 September after straying several hundred miles into Soviet airspace over the highly sensitive military installations on Sakhalin island. That it displayed no nostile intent is tacitly admitted in the brief and unsatisfactory Tass report which stated that Soviet fighters tried to assist the "intruder" to land at the nearest airfield. Unsubstantiated claims by Moscow of possible spying missions by civilian aircraft unlikely with the availability of high-quality satellite photography - provide no vestige of excuse for risking the lives of passengers by firing bullets, let alone missiles, to force a landing on an airstrip unsuited for an

failed to clarify what measures conform to the norms of civiwere taken by the Soviet inter- lized behaviour. Attacking airlinceptors to compel KAL 007 to ers which for some reason have land; yet internationally recognized procedures exist for just forcing them down, regardless of

few years. Almost no one

The conflict between a sound

ment in labour market con-

But the August unemploy-

ment figures give some reasons

for questioning the conventional

wisdom. When allowance is

made for the numerous reclassi-

fications and revisions that have

been made to the statistics, there

was an underlying fall in the

unemployment total of 7.000.

This follows a rise of 10,000 in

July and 27,000 in June. The

average monthly increase in 1982 was also 27,000. The better

trend is confirmed by the

vacancies figures. The number of

vacancies last month was

162,000, over 40 per cent higher

occasion for trumpet-blowing.

and it will remain bad for many

challenges the widely held belief

that monetary control cannot be

reconciled with economic recov-

for labour. The Government

Indeed, there is a possibility

that the emphasis in economic

policy will shift. As the output

and employment figures become

better over the next year or two,

ministers will feel tempted to

must feel very pleased.

None of this should be an

than a year earlier.

absolute.

radio problems, but this is no are several documented cases. explanation since an interceptor is expected to establish visual contact, showing that the intruder is to make a landing; there are procedures for darkness as well as daylight. If the message is still not clear, the fighter can fly alongside and fire a short burst of machine-gun fire ahead, without any risk to life.

The most damning indictment is that the airliner was tracked for more than two hours without any attempt by Moscow to contact the countries or airlines most likely to have an aircraft in difficulty in this particular area.
The United States and Japanese authorities should likewise explain in detail what steps they took to contact Moscow when they became aware of the aircraft's plight. Modern communications are such that total failure to establish contact to discuss procedures in this emergency is likely to have arisen from human, rather than technological shortcomings. Even without the full facts

being known it is reasonable to draw certain conclusions. The Soviet leaders' refusal to admit immediately that a civilian aircraft had been destroyed by their fighters would argue that they too realize that protecting military secrets in peacetime could never excuse such a crime. In February 1973 Moscow condemmed as a "monstrous crime" the shooting down by Israeli fighters of a Libyan Boeing 727 which strayed over sensitive military installations at a time of high tension between Israel and the Arab countries. Mrs Golda Meir, the Israeli Prime Minister, immediately expressed her deep sorrow at the heavy loss of life while not, however, regretting the action Israel took. None the less, the nearest relatives of the deceased were brought to Israel at the state's expense and other attempts were made to show official regret. Despite the extenuating circumstances, this deliberate downing of an airliner with the loss of over seventy lives was rightly denounced both within Israel and abroad - a public pressure to which the democratic Israeli government had to respond with genuine efforts to exclude any repetition should similar circumstances

again arise. In the USSR, however there The original Tass statement are no such public pressures to violated Soviet airspace and

NO CAUSE FOR RELAXATION

being suggested that, if the task

The Government must ignore

priority is and must continue to

stability. The rationale for its

approach to the economy has

always been that, in the long run,

there is no trade-off between

inflation and unemployment.

Indeed, it can be argued that

price stability helps the smooth

working of the labour market

because it removes the disagree-

ments about prospective in-

flation which so confuse and

embitter wage bargaining.

Treasury ministers must not

lapse back into the old-fashioned

and discredited 1960s-style rhet-

oric of "growthmanship", "de-mand reflation" and the like.

Paradoxically, the Govern-

ment will best serve the cause of

higher employment if its state-

ments are equivocal about the

and unqualified in their commit-

unions and employers that

policy would not deviate from

the central task of inflation

barrier has been broken, wage-

bargainers both expect low

inflation and reach low pay

settlements. This more realistic

mood encourages workers to

price themselves back into jobs.

If Mrs Thatcher and her col-

leagues even hinted about the morrow.

Nearly all the well-known fore- highlight the improvements in

casting groups expect unemploy- these areas and neglect their

ment to rise over the next financial targets. It is already

believes that, while the present of Mrs Thatcher's first term was

Government is in power and to reduce inflation, the task of

remains committed to monetary the second is to generate a

restraint, unemployment can supply-side miracle with high

money policy and an improve- this kind of talk. Its overriding

ditions is widely thought to be be the restoration of price

The employment situation is bad outlook for economic growth

months to come. It has merely ment to eliminating inflation. By

stopped getting worse. But the far the hardest part of its original

news is important because it programme was to persuade

cry and a strengthening demand control. Now that the credibility

decline by significant amounts. rates of economic growth.

The most relevant was the shooting down of a Korean Airline Boeing 707 which in April 1978 strayed off the normal route from Paris to Seoul; after flying over the military installations around Murmansk it was forced to land on a frozen lake in Soviet Karelia, north of Leningrad. Only luck and the pilot's skill prevented great loss of life; as it was, two passengers were killed by the bullets of the Soviet interceptor. The USSR was not prepared to cooperate in an investigation which might have helped to avoid this latest disaster. The authorities retained the flight recorder in the USSR rather than making it immediately available to an international commission of inquiry.

The lack of effective international communication in such emergencies must clearly be rectified. Further progress in navigational aids can be expected, but faults will still occur in all equipment, including the technology controlling the launching of missiles. The "hot-line" has been improved, but the will to consult before taking such drastic action is sadly lacking.

Unless Moscow moves quickly to explain this outrage and show willingness to participate in international agreements to avoid its repetition the East-West meeting planned for next week in Madrid will have little

The United States' administration is under strong public pressure to retaliate. It may be compelled to make a punitive gesture of some sort. But it is better to avoid over-reaction in the heat of the moment. Any attempt to impose sanctions should be based on the cool appraisal of Soviet realities and of the constant factors in Soviet policies, and not initiated on impulse just because another demonstration of Soviet ruthlessness concentrates public opinion on the need to act.

Arms control talks must continue, since an even higher interest is involved. But if the Soviet Union continues to brazen out its part in the affair, the question of trust and verifiability must arise, making it impossible for negotiators to move beyond their suspicions of the malevolence of Soviet intentions. The attack which destroyed 269 lives was destructive also of trust. It can be repaired only by the Soviet leaders admitting their part in such occasions. The Korean the threat to life, has clearly this tragedy and accepting due Boeing 747 appeared to have become established policy; there responsibility.

desirability of more growth and a

return to "full employment"

(whatever that might mean)

inflation expectations would

immediately increase. Higher inflation expectations would

worsen employment prospects

by provoking extravagant wage

cases in government where

articulate pessimism is more

benign in its eventual results

Some sceptics about Govern

ment policy regard the goal of

price stability, endorsed in the

Conservative election manifesto,

as unrealistic and over-

ambitious. They seem to think

that we live in an inflationary

world now and shall do for

evermore. After forty years of

continuously rising prices, the attitude is understandable

enough. But other countries are

already back to price stability. In

the past six months consumer

prices have barely risen in

Germany and have actually dropped slightly in Japan.

It would undoubtedly require

a major imaginative effort to

think ourselves back into a

condition where the value of

money is the same today as it

was last year and will still be the

same in one year's or five years'

time. But the consequent ben-

efits - in terms of respect for.

government as well as the

reduction of business uncer-

Price stability must remain

the ultimate objective. The

August unemployment figures

are a hopeful sign. But the

Government must not allow

them to sidetrack it into trading

a little more inflation today for a

little less unemployment to-

tainty - would be very great.

than false optimism.

claims. This is one of the rare

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## export-led boom

From the Director General of the Institute of Export

Sir, The Institute of Export would go some way with Mr Bernard Dembo (September 1) in his comments about the difficulty of achieving an export-led boom. We would, however, part company when he says that to be competitive on specification, quality, delivery and price one must have volume of

production. The institute observes that successful exporters achieve their results by being competitive in all the ways that Mr Dembo suggests, but above all by making specialized goods which particular customers require. Price then becomes a relative factor. If the goods or the service that you offer are of the right quality for their purpose and, as is often the case with potential producers in this country, the service or the goods are unique, then you can price for a profit even if the absolute amount may seem large.

We observe that despite all the

difficulties which Mr Dembo enumerates a great many firms are still successful exporters of physical goods; moreover, they achieve these exports at a profit. They do this partly for the reasons I have already suggested, but also because they take great care in the detail of their operation at every point from design to the arrangements for transferring money and ensuring that it is credited at the earliest moment to

their account in the UK. Naturally, we notice particularly that those firms who follow the techniques which this institute seeks to spread as widely as possible, limit their risks and increase their chances of profit.

Your faithfully, DAVID N. ROYCE, Director General, The Institute of Export, World Trade Centre, El.

#### **Spending priorities**

From Sir David Lane Sir, Other readers, too, may have been disturbed today (August 24) by the contrast between (a) a television documentary on the "Lifeline to the Falklands", which made clear its astronomical cost, and (b) yet another report in your columns of the harmful effects of the financial squeeze on the National Health

All of us admire the heroism, in their different ways, of the men who liberated and are now defending the Falklands and of the doctors, nurses and others who strive to maintain standards in the NHS (and for whom my wife has recently had cause to be grateful). Yet are we not in danger of getting our spending

priorities badly wrong?
In the forthcoming public expenditure review one must hope that Mr Norman Fowler and Mr Kenneth Clarke will stand firm against any further Treasury pressure for cuts in the NHS, and that other ministers will support them. It must surely be possible to keep total public expenditure under control, including an adequate share for defence, without subjecting to still greater strain a service which is used and appreciated by the great majority of the people.

Yours truly. DAVID LANE. 5 Spinney Drive, Great Shelford, Cambridge. August 24.

#### Off-beat music

From Sir Michael Tippett, CH Sir, I see from the brochure of events at the Barbican in September that the only performances there of music that is off the beaten track or contemporary are given by schools

orchestras and young children. The music teachers concerned deserve praise and encouragement for their enterprise. For at this time they are working under the constant threat of financial cutbacks and restrictions.

Clearly, our concert life and culture will be much impoverished if proper support and funding are not maintained for this vital part of the educational spectrum. Yours faithfully.

MICHAEL TIPPETT. As from: 48 Great Marlborough August 27.

#### Redundant church

From Sir John Summerson Sir, H. S. Goodhart-Rendel, to whose threatened church of St Wilfrid, Brighton, Gavin Stamp draws conspicuous attention in your issue of August 29, was one of the most interesting architects of his time. He defied every trend of the thirties, studied the great Victorians when nobody else had a word to sav for them and produced buildings which baffled his contempories and still challenge criticism by their originality and intellectual integrity. in the present surge of "postmodern" experiment, when the first

of these qualities is running very far ahead of the second, Goodhart-Rendel's work becomes powerfully relevant. St Wilfrid's ought not to be demolished. Yours faithfully,

JOHN SUMMERSON, I Eton Villas, NW3.

#### Missing the point

Sir, It is some years since I saw a notice by the roadside informing me: "Bear left Guildford". I have often wondered why, because it is a nice town and its people are very

#### Quality test for an Fair hearing for needs of the poor

From Mr Louis Browne Sir, I am in agreement with the analysis of your leading article (August 30) concerned with social

security benefits. I believe that to make such cuts as have been suggested in the only source of income many of our young unemployed have would indeed be

to stir up a hornet's nest, with potentially serious repercussions, There is now an apparent lack of an effective, sympathetic voice in the Cabinet for the poorer members

The enforced departure of ministers from the "Liberal-Conservative element" in the Cabinet, notably Sir Ian Gilmour and Norman St John-Stevas, with their replacements coming from the "hard-faced" faction in our party, has resulted in the kind of abominable sugge concerning cuts in benefits that have been made.

Living in a town where unem-ployment is 18.5 per cent (under the new method of counting - approximately 34 per cent under the old method) I and my Young Conserva-tive colleagues find it totally unacceptable that a Government, especially a Conservative Govern-ment, should seriously consider such

I fervently hope that such suggestions as have been made will be refuted by the Prime Minister as soon as possible. If they are not, then the prospects do no augur well for compassionate social policy under this Government. Yours faithfully

LOUIS BROWNE, Chairman, Birkenhead Young Conservatives, 41 Inglemere Road, Rock Ferry, Birkenhead, Merseyside. August 30.

From the Director, the Low Pay Unit Sir, Your leading article, "Nibbling at benefits" is a timely and welcome contribution to the current debate on young people's income and employment. The purpose of the proposed reductions in teenagers' social security entitlement, as you point out, is not only to make substantial savings at the expense of a group who, as yet, are unable to vote. Such proposals also fit well within an overall package of policies designed to reduce the wage expectations of young people.

to Youth Training Scheme trainees are part of this package, as is the Young Workers' Scheme, which offers firms a subsidy if they pay low vages to young people. Ministers have also seriously considered removing young people from the scope of wages council minimum wage protection, although this could

The Government justifies such policies as necessary to "price young people into jobs". Yet, as your editorial observes, there is little evidence that further reductions in youth wages will have any significant impact on the level of youth unemployment. Indeed, Department of Employment studies have been unable to find any statistically significant relationship between changes in young people's wages and their unemployment rates over the two decades up to 1979.

Since then young people's relative pay has declined, while their unemployment rate has climbed steeply. Moreover the Young Work-ers' Scheme, although popular with employers especially in the already creating new jobs.

or to provide training, but only to pay low wages. So a Government-commissioned study of the workings of the scheme carried out last year found that 90 per cent of the jobs for which a subsidy was paid would have existed anyway, while a further 4 per cent were created at the expense of adult workers. Only 6 per cent of subsidised jobs were newly

Here, perhaps, is a more appropri-ate source of public expenditure saving than reductions in benefits for young people.

only viable solution to unemployment. Current policies appear to be market a generation whose expecor in their future disaffection with work, may prove very high. Yours faithfully,

Low Pay Unit, 9 Poland Street, W1. The meagre allowances available

#### **Detained in Rampton**

From the Director of MIND

Sir, Your excellent editorial (August 25) about the patient detained at Rampton for 11 years most ade-quately highlights many of the issues raised by this case. More than anything else, Lyle Clarke's experience illustirates why MIND fought ver many vears fo tion of automatic referrals of certain categories of detained patients to mental health review tribunals.

This was realized in the Mental Health Act 1983 and offers new hope to many long-stay detained patients who are unable to apply themselves and who have either been forgotten or about whom inaccurate assumptions have been made because of faulty records.

I would like to raise two important wider issues which are touched upon in your editorial; first, Mr Clarke appears to have been detained in Rampton, in part at least, because of seriously inaccurate medical records which he was not allowed to see and therefore, unless an independent tribunal decided to actively prove their accuracy or (as in this case) they were made public, there was no opportunity for them

to be put right.

Tribunal medical reports are frequently withheld from the patient because they would be "detrimental to the patient's health". I cannot think of anything more detrimental to a patient than to be detained in hospital against his/her will when it was quite unnecessary. This case demands that we look once again at and the patients' right of access to them and calls for a radical redirection of policy whereby it would only be in extreme cases that nationts do not have access to their

in the community rather than be 'warehoused" as informal patients in hospital.

The latest DHSS personal social services statistics indicate that two local authorities in England and Wales make no special provision whatsoever of housing for discharged patients. Local authorities, in particular, have got to be educated that this is an area of need that has got to receive an appropriate share of their resources. I hope that this case will mark the start of that education.

### Dockland design

Sir, Sir Geoffrey Jellicoe's plea (July 2) for the creation of landscape structures to define and underpin the development of the dockland areas of London seems largely to have gone unnoticed or to have been blandly sidestepped in your columns. While sad institutional clumps of silver birch and cherry perch on tastefully knee-high knolls

from Mr David Roberts

amid the desolate reincarnation of the Victorian recreation grounds which are to be our lot, the opportunity to create a character and develop at little cost a structure for two miles of flat land marked only by evidence of our commercial and engineering achievement is being thrown complacently away.

Here the immense excavations, structures and vistas of the Victoria, Albert and George V docks stretch over a mile, their mostly mean warehousing relieved by an Edwardian manor-house folly of offices, a brisk, settled Board of Trade building or a splendid railway hotel; the trivial and insensitive handling of the sinuous line of water, the refusal to see the watercourse, the avenue of mature plane trees, the old railway track and the emptiness as opportunities for the creation of place, of character and of life show the hollowness of achievement

At very little comparative cost, and without affecting necessary demolition, development and exploitation of the area we could show our grandchildren that what our grandparenta created, while we could not emulate, we did at least respect and embellish. Yours etc.

DAVID ROBERTS. 14 Harper Road Beckton, E6, August 26.

where insight is absent.

## only be done in contravention of international agreements.

low-paying service sector, has been a spectacular failure as a means of

Employers are not required to demonstrate that they are taking on new staff to qualify for the subsidy,

The Government believe, as in the 1920s, that wage cuts are the aimed at delivering to the labour tations are permanently reduced. The cost, whether measured in terms of hardship for young people

CHRIS POND, Director, August 31.

## the whole question of patients' files

The second issue raised by the case is the question of aftercare in the community. Automatic tribunals are going to result in more long-term detained status and it is essential, if this reform is going to mean anything, that adequate facilities are available for them to return to living

The 1983 Mental Health Act places a clear duty on local authorities and district health authorities to provide "aftercare" for discharged longer term detained patients. The current situation does not augur well for the future fulfilment of that duty.

Yours faithfully CHRIS HEGINBOTHAM, Director, 22 Harley Street, W1.

August 26.

#### Getting a hearing

From the Reverend S.N.M.Bayly Sir, Your report (August 26) of the suggestion of Mr Michael Martin, of the Royal National Institute for the Deaf, to the British Association that the old-fashioned ear trumpet is still one of the most effective aids will hardly surprise those who happen to be hard of hearing. Cupping the ear with the hand can be occasionally more helpful as a means of hearing in groups or larger gatherings especially than trying to distinguish speech through many of the extraneous and distracting noises that are received through a sophisti-

Mr Martin rightly implies that difficulty in hearing is not entirely the defect of the person who is deaf. Understanding speech is largely dependent, as experience testifies, on those who take the trouble to speak clearly and distinctly, with adequate mouth movements, and proper use of consonant as much as vowel sounds.

cated electronic aid.

If parents, educationists, and others fully realised how much this elementary but important consideration can be appreciated by the hard of hearing they might place, hopefully, a greater widespread emphasis on this aspect of communication.

Such improvements would bring considerable relief to the aurally restricted as well as satisfying a much wider body of people who are averse to the lazy and slovenly sounds which are allowed to pass as speech today, even amongst some who are public "speakers". Yours faithfully, NIALL BAYLY, 25 Beechlands,

Malone Road,

Belfast.

August 26

#### Sutton Hoo buria! site in danger

From Dr W. J. Blair

Sir. Mr Kerr's objections (Augus: 29) to the proposed work at Sutton Hoo are well meant but illogical. Indeed "all excavation is destruction"; but there is an obvious difference between the demolition of visible monuments and the archaeological dissection of layers and features which are invisible until excavated.

Excavation involves converting data inaccessible in the ground into data accessible on paper. Retrieval is never quite perfect and techniques are always improving: this is the one valid argument against excavating outstanding sites which are not

threatened. But the East Anglian royal tombs at Sutton Hoo are threatened, by scores of determined treasure-hunt-ers lured by the riches which they are likely to contain. Far better to recover 90 per cent of the data from this unique site than to run the risk of losing it completely.

Yours faithfully, W. J. BLAIR, The Queen's College, Oxford. August 30.

## Court-martial cases

From Mr Peter T. Scott Sir, Mr T. A. Ende's letter (August 29) referring to the supposedly public nature of courts martial during both the world wars prompts me to raise a related point regarding the wisdom of allowing the records of such trials during the First World War to remain closed to public

inspection.

There are a substantial number of instances where the details of First World War executions, giving the name and unit of the condemned man, the charge on which he was convicted and the drte of his execution are recorded in documents already within the public domain at the Public Record Office. So far as I am aware there is no restriction on the publication of

these brief, final details. Conversely, Judge Babington's forthcoming study is largely based on closed records and, while details of the trials will be published in this new book, no names or units will be mentioned.

Concern with both the fate and the identity of these men is increasingly apparent and will undoubtedly redouble once Judge Babington's book is published. However, other historians attempting to pursue research in this field will now find a curious and highly unsatisfactory situation where not only have closed records been partially opened, but the reason for keeping those records closed has been rendered wholly pointless by

virtue of the existence of records that have been open for many years. Surely it would be better for the authorities to grant im unrestricted access to the full trial records and all the relevant documents presently removed from the war diaries, rather than allow what Stephen Roskill has described as "the speculation, rumour and innuendo" that surround this subject to be unnecessarily prolonged?

Yours faithfully, PETER T. SCOTT. Hon Editor. Stand To! The Journal of the Western Front Association, Cranleigh Gardens, Sanderstead. South Croydon, Surrey. August 30.

#### What members want

From Lord Houghton of Sowerby Sir, If the recently published canvass (August 26) of rank and file opinion on democracy in the Inland Revenue Staff Federation is any guide, the TUC should not only decide to have talks with Mr Tebbit but with their own members as well. They would then know whether to

continue to condemn his proposals as being anti-union or to accept his better judgment of what their members really want. I am Sir, your obedient servant, HOUGHTON OF SOWERBY, House of Lords. August 30.

#### Test of opinion

From Mr Roger Baker Sir, Your page three picture today (September 1) shows a man brandishing a dead fish in the air. This proves, apparently, the Thames is now free of pollution. Is it really necessary to celebrate this fact by slaughtering the creatures who, unwisely, now regard the river as safe to live in? Yours etc.

ROGER BAKER. 23/24 Great James Street, WC1. September 1.

#### Beyond argument

From Mr J. Selwyn Davies

Sir, The Secretary of University College, Cardiff has kindly drawn my attention to the entry in The Times Diary (August 30) which quotes our entry in the department's prospectus as reading: The course will explore the various problems connected with the nature and effectiveness of arguments. No prior experience in the subject is re-

quired." The secretary has also drawn my attention to the fact that this course description could perhaps have been even better employed for a course the department successfully ran a few years ago on "Death".

Yours faithfully, J. S. DAVIES. Director, Department of Extra-Mural Studies, University College, Cardiff, 38 Park Place, Cardiff. August 30.

## From Mr R. M. J. Withers

Supply and demand

Sir. Your August 22 leader on natural monopolies was marred by some apparently ill-considered observations on the Central Electricity Generating Board. For rival power stations to try and outbid each other on costs of supply to a national grid is indeed technically feasible but is not necessarily linked to ownership.

It has been practised within the CEGB for vears.

Whilst there may be scope for further encouragement of low-cost private supply to a national grid (e.g., as a by-product from process industries' back pressure sets), this source is unlikely to amount to the majority supply. For this purpose large-scale machinery has been found appropriate, but it is specific

to supply undertakings around the

These large-scale capital-intensive power stations involve such long time spans of public consent to the type of operation, of construction and of financial return as to inhibit private development under present market conditions. Yours sincerely, JOHN WITHERS, The Barn, Maplewell Road,

Woodhouse Eaves,

From Mr Peter Bryer

Yours faithfully, PETER BRYER, Little Applemore, Pilley Bailey,



## **AND** SOCIAL

Princess Anne, patron, Royal Tournament, will attend a reception to launch the 1984 tournament at St

Forthcoming

marriages

Mr C. S. Matthews

and Miss P. J. Low

Mr.J. L.C. Hobdell

Mr M. S. W. Lee

Mr A. Mahmood

and Miss J. A. Thomas

and Miss J. L. Macqueen

The engagement is announced between Colin, third son of Sir Peter

and Lady Matthews, of Ladyeross House, Dormansland, Surrey, and Nancy, daughter of Mr and Mrs Thomas Rogers, of Kinsbury Place,

The engagement is announced between Michael Gerald, only son

of Dr J. G. Bourne and the late Mrs Jenny Bourne, of Melstock, Nunton,

The engagement is announce

between lain, son of Mr and Mrs John Hebdell, of the Ridings. Oxshott, Surrey, and Nicky, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs James Beaumont, of Belgrave Place, Edinburgh, and Oldhamstocks, East Lothian

The engagement is announced between Mark Samuel Wilton,

eldest son of Mr and Mrs P. W. Lee, of Fulwood, Sheffield, and Janie

Isobel, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs J. G. Macqueen, of Cotham,

The engagement is announced between Accsad, son of Mr and Mrs G. Nabi, of London, and Julia, only daughter of Mr and Mrs A. R. Thomas, of Bahrain.

The engagement is announced between David, son of Mr and Mrs

Kenneth Thompson, of Hale, Cheshire, and Christian, only daughter of Mrs F. H. Wilding, of Godalming, and the Late Major R. M. Stranack, of Alresford, Hamp-

Salisbury, Wiltshire, and Penelope
Jane, only daughter of Dr and Mrs J.
S. M. Low, of Westgate, Nafferton,
East Yorkshire.

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#### **COURT CIRCULAR**

KENSINGTON PALACE

September 2: The Duke of Gloucester, Patron, Richard III Society, visited Gloucester today, to unveil a plaque and attend celebrations to mark 500th Anniversary of the Charter of Incorporation granted by King Richard III to the City.

A low requiem Mass will be offered for the repose of the soul of Sir Rudloph de Trafford at the Church of St Mary, Cadogan Street, SW3, at noon on Thursday, October 13, 1983. His Royal Highness travelled it an aircraft of The Queen's Flight. Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Simon Bland was in attendance.

#### **Marriages**

Dr M. K. Davey
and Dr E. Mainardi
The marriage of Dr Michael K.
Davey and Dr Emanuela Mainardi
took place in Magdalene College Chapel, Cambridge, on August

Mr R. Mann and Miss S. Hildyard The marriage took place on Saturday, August 27, at Scraying-ham, York, between Mr Richard Mann and Miss Selina Hildyard, A reception was held afterwards at the home of the bride and the honeymoon will be spent in Africa.

#### Latest appointments



Mr Angus Surling to be Director-General of the National Trust from September 1 in succession to Sir Jack Boles. Mr Stirling was formerly deputy director-general.

#### Christening

The infant son of Mr And Mrs Peter Demetriadi was christened Guy Feter Michael Erskine at All Saints Church, Brandeston on August 21 by the Rev Roger Dixon. The godparents are Michel Cousins of Dalmoak, Mr Jeremy la Niece, the Countess of Mar (for whom Mrs Michael Demetriadi stood proxy), and Mine Bernadette Delvaux (for



Baroness Maria von Trapp, whose story inspired the making of "The Sound of Music" at the Nonnberg Convent in Salzburg, Austria, where she was a postulant 60 years ago. The baroness, who now lives in Vermont, in the United States, is the subject of a Yorkshire Television programme, "First Tuesday", to be broadcast on the ITV network next Tuesday

#### Science report Foetus implants aid brain-damaged rats By Pearce Wright, Science Editor

Another step has been taken in the research aimed at repairing brain injuries by transplanting brain tissue. It has involved the to brain-damaged rats with implants from rat foetuses.

The work has been done by or Donald Stein, of the University of Massachusetts Medical Centre; Dr Elliott Mufson, of Harvard Medical School and Beth Israel Hospital logical unit, Boston; and Dr Randy Labbe and Dr Arthur Firl, of Clark University, Their report in the journal

Science shows that the transplanted tissue and the host brain merge within a few days to do the seemingly impossible, the regeneration of brain cells that have been destroyed.

Furthermore the area of the

brain that was recreated was part of the frontal cortex that is essential to the learning of some spatial problems. Tests to discover whether the

brain function had been restored were based on the so-called Tmaze experiment. Only four days after the transplanted operation the animals began training on a task which they

day. The task requires them to always chose the opposite arm of a T-mare from the one they chose on the previous trial in order to obtain a reward.

London.

Dr Habgood, Bishop of Durham for 10 years, succeeds Lord Blanch of Bishopthorpe who retired last month.

Although they did not learn as quickly as rats with no brain damage, those suimals that had received grafts of tissue of frontal cortex from a denor were with implants of brain cells taken from the cerebellium of denors. In fact, the tissue from cerebellum was quickly rejected by the hosts. Science, vel 221, p470.

#### Teresa McLean

## The Divine nature of grace

Grace is the most poetic thing in Christianity. It has no visible existence. It may even have no existence at all; it may be like God, a daydream, without limits and without substance. But if it does exist, it is our relationship with the divine. No wonder Christians have always been unable to define it; it would be less poetic, and less divine, if they could define it, one might as well try to define God.

James's Palace on December 7.
The Prince of Wales will visit JEL
Energy Conservation Services at
Bramhall Moor Industrial Park,
Stockport on December 20. Aguinas came as near as anyone when he said that grace is our participation in the divine nature, which put it on a height above even his powers A service of thanksgiving for the life of Lady Alport will be held at St James's Church, East Hill, Col-chester, on September 23 at 2.30 quoted from St Paul; it is radiance of the soul; it is, he concluded helplessly, "of a higher order". That is why poetry comes closer to it than prose. Grace is above prose. It moves in and out of Christian poetic inspiration like a secret. Almost all its poetic images are silent, hidden and soft. She moves in tumult; round her lies. The silence of the world of grace" (R. H. Benson, The Teresian Contemplative).

Grace is the air of holiness and without it, as St Paul says, nothing holy can live, least of all vigorous visible things like good works. "God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, having sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work" (Il Corinthians IX, 8).

The relationship between goodness and grace is mysterious; the relationship between air and life. Out of his sparkling reservoir of poetic imagery the Jesuit poet Gerard Manley Hopkins chose the simple image of air to portray

The growing demand for hand-knitted garments in Falklands

Islands wool has encouraged a Lake District firm to try to employ more

garments.
Viking Wools, of Hawkshead,

have applied for planning per-mission to build a £200,000 warehouse on a former refuse tip in

Hawkshead where it can store

enough wool to keep up to 600 knitters supplied.

Mr Alan Gaynor, the proprietor, said yesterday: "We have now established a countrywide market for hand-knitted garments in the

wool, and are even getting orders from overseas. We have just had

two fantastic inquiries for hand-knitted garments from Germany

and Japan, but need new premises to enable us to cope."

TODAY: Mr Vernon Blunt, 83; Sir Macfarlane Burnet, OM, 84; Miss Pauline Collins, 43; Lord Craigton, 79; Lord Ebbisham, 71; Air Marshal Sir Gerald Gibbs, 87; Vice-Admiral

Sir Gerald Gibbs, 87; Vice-Admiral Sir David Hallifax, 56; Mr James Hanley, 82; the Rev A. H. H. Harbottle, 58; Lord Harris, 94; Colonel L. H. Higgon, 99; Mr Brian Lochors, 43; the Right Rev V. S. N. Nicholls, 66; Sir Ronald Prain, 76;

Mr Gaston Thorn, 55; Miss Raquel Welch, 43. TOMORROW: Miss Joan Aiken,

59; Sir Hubert Bennett, 74; Sir John Charnley, 61; Dame Margaret

Sir Ivar Colquhoun of Luss, chief of the clan Colquhoun, has won his

five-year legal battle against British Petroleum to prove that Luss Estates have the exclusive owner-

ship of 300 yards of foreshore at Finnart on Loch Long where BP has

been using for more than 20 years.

is head prefect with Penelope Morgan as second prefect. Susan Barber is captain of lacrosse. The

Birthdays

Tom Watson, 34,

boosts jobs

grace, personified in the Blessed Virgin. It speaks more than volumes and leaves its subject properly mysterious. Nothing could be more poetic.
Stir in my ears, speak there Of God's love. O live air,

Of patience, penance, prayer,
Worldmothering air, air wild,
Wound with thee, in thee isled,
Fold home, fast fold thy child.
("The Blessed Virgin Compared
to the Air We Breathe").

Hopkins is a graceful poet. He is not concerned with the new theology of relevance which was beginning to claim Christian consciences in the late Victorian period when he wrote. The air we breathe in his poems is not social justice and responsibility, not even goodness; it is the graceful secrets of silence which he mentions in his poem: patience, penance, and, above all, prayer.

It goes without saying that the relationship between grace and prayer is mysterious, but it is fundamental and it is intimate. Grace and prayer are bound to each other. In the old Roman Catholic catechism, prayer is described as the raising of the mind and heart to God, and grace as a supernatural gift of God freely bestowed on us for our sanctification and salvation.

Prayer brings man to God and grace brings God to man. It is an inexplicable but unmistakable connexion. Prayer in poetry shares many of the qualities of

George Herbert's poem "Grace" laments that the poet's heart has been hammered by sin "Unto a hardness, void of love/Let suppling grace, to cross his art./Drop from above."

He then illuminates that suppling quality in his poem
"Prayer" in a flood of images, all of them mysterious and implicit
... the soul's blood./The land of spices, something understood."
The poem is a catalogue of grace, identified in prayer. "Softness, and peace, and joy, and love; and bliss."

Prayer is not always like that. It is notoriously dispiriting at times, when it leaves one without a sense of softness or peace or any of the other blessings Herbert lists. It brings them, but not the sense of them. It brings grace, which contains them all and is insen-Grace is one of those things one

feels only when one has lost it. It is too metaphysical to feel. But when one falls from grace, one knows it, and can hardly endure it; the touch of grace is unbearably

"Return O Lord in grace, in more and more grace, and when we are in possession of a good measure of that grace, we can pray again. Revertere Domine, Return O Lord in glory. Come Lord Jesus. come quickly" (John Donne, Sermon LII on the Penitential Psalms).

Prayer, grace, and holiness between them rack the soul. Man may come into possession of a sure of grace, as Donne prays, but it is really grace that comes into possession of him, and stretches him on the rack. It is a painful stretch, between the world and God. And as Hopkins said,

everyday outward reality of people, when they are blighted with the sanctifying strength of grace. In "The Wreck of the Deutschland", Hopkins finds his

boast to flash from the flame to Christ, "For I greet him the days meet him, and bless when understand."

The days one does neither, most days, one can always pray for grace. With the special, secret, strong hope that grace brings with it. "Spirit, who speak'st by silences,/remake me" ("A Prayer

It is painful because, though it is an invisible and insensible bight, it is a real one. People blighted with grace have that radiance of soul which Aquinas knew he could not describe and **OBITUARY** 

newspapers as a boy.

He supported advanced mili-

stands on national defence".

scientific research.

SENATOR HENRY JACKSON

Influential U.S. voice on defence

heart attack. He was 71.

He was twice a contender for the Democratic Presidential nomination. Though he belonged to the conservative wing of his party Jackson was the last man to be called backward-looking. He For if God is real, grace is real more, it is the essence of reality. It is of a higher order, and a stronger one. When one meets someone blighted with grace, that is to say

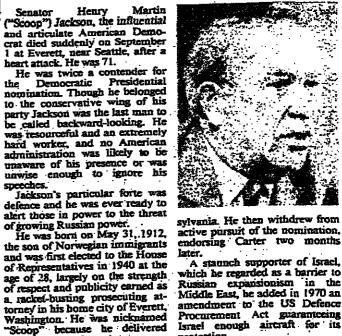
heart "... dove-winged, I can tell,/ carrier witted, I am bold to the flame then, tower from the grace to the grace." Then he comes back to earth and gives grace a human face, the face of

at Pentecost" Siegfried Sassoon).

no one could miss.

was resourceful and an extremely hard worker, and no American administration was likely to be unaware of his presence or was unwise enough to ignore his blighted with grace, that is to say someone holy, there are moments when the difficulty is not believing in God, it is believing in anything else. Scaret and soft, grace is nevertheless palpable and strong: "God's breath in man returning to his birth ... Engine against th' Almightie" (Herbert). The Incarnation means that in Chestignity alone among respeeches.

Jackson's particular forte was defence and he was ever ready to alert those in power to the threat of growing Russian power. He was born on May 31, 1912, Christianity, alone among re-ligions, the inward reality is most the son of Norwegian immigrants and was first elected to the House of Representatives in 1940 at the clearly apparent in the ordinary age of 28, largely on the strength of respect and publicity earned as a racket-busing prosecuting attorney in his home city of Everett,



which he regarded as a barrier to Russian expansionism in the Middle East, he added in 1970 an amendment to the US Defence Procurement Act guaranteeing Israel enough aircraft for its protection.
In the 1970s, he also virtually

He was elected to the Senate in singlehandedly held up a treaty granting trade credits to the Soviet Union and giving that 1952 and soon showed himself to be a lively contributor to any debate affecting defence and country "most favoured nation" trade status until the Russians As far back as the Administration of President Eisenhower, Jackson said a missile gap" allowed easier emigration for Soviet Jews.
The Senate passed the Bill,

existed between the United States President Ford signed the Act giving it force, but the Russians finally rejected the treaty.

As chairman of the Senate and the Soviet Union. He criticized Eisenhower's Administ-

ration for costing the United States its lead in weapons subcommittee on arms control, Jackson was critical of US concessions in the Strategic Arms tary hardware, whether it came to Limitations Talks (Salt). In exchange for his support of the bombers, transport planes or submarines, maintaining that 1972 treaty that gave the Russians the true test of a man is where he an advantage in the number and payload of land-based missiles, he A loyal Democrat, Jackson was able to push through an antagonized fellow party mem-bers in the 1960s by opposing the amendment that guaranteed par-ity to Washington in future creation of the arms control and dealings.

should be renegotiated. and hawkish foreign policy views His distrust of Moscow was

were more than a match for President Nixon.

He fared poorly in primary clections and eventually lost the nomination to the liberal Senator producing a new generation of nerve gas weapons. "How do you need to the liberal Senator of South producing a new generation of nerve gas weapons." How do you President Nixon. George McGovern of South Dakota.

York, but lost to the eventual He is survived by his wife, winner Jimmy Carter in Penn-Helen, and two step-children.

disarmament agency, urging vig-He was even more critical of orous participation in the Vietthe arms limitation treaty signed by President Carter and the nam war and advocating bombing of military targets in what was then North Vietnam.

In 1972, he made his first unsuccessful Presidential attempt former Russian president Leonid Brezhnev in 1979. Jackson denounced the Administration's assent as "appeasement in its purest form" and said the treaty on the grounds that his generally liberal stands on domestic issues

evident the following year when the Senate approved funds for negotiate with the Soviet Union? Four years later, he did well in he said in support of granting the early Democrate primary elections in Massachusetts and New position of weakness."

#### MR ANTHONY WIGAN

Mr Angus McDermid writes: the offer was promptly accepted. The careers of few BBC news

The Second World War took staff can have spanned such a him from the chief sub-editor's

on August 17. iournalist to join the newsroom staff at Broadcasting House. As a young reporter on the Belfast News-Letter he had, when attending a staff dance of the Belfast office of the BBC, got into conversation with the then Sir John Reith. Reith was impressed, asked Wigan if he would like to three daughters by his earlier join the London news staff and marriage.

at Oxford and was commissioned

in the Royal Artillery in 1918.

Wounds forced him to leave the

Army two years later. He was

called to the Bar in 1924, being awarded a Certificate of Honour.

He began his civil service career in the Ministry of Health in

became Legal Adviser there - the

Dominions Office was later called

period of change and develop-ment as that of Anthony (Tony) Wigan, formerly Foreign Editor of to set up and expand the world by August 17

as correspondent, and he returned to set up and expand the world wide network of BBC correspondent. In 1935 Wigan became virtual-ty the first professionally-trained dents. Although best remembered for his management of Foreign News and his resourceful hand ling of such crises as Hungary and Spez, his eight years as United Nations correspondent before his retirement in 1970 added lustre to

a long and notable broadcasting

#### Professor G. J. Zellick writes: whose death you briefly noted on September 1, was a lawyer of

in retirement.

## MP condemns stubble fires as 'black storm' sweeps Kent

The Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr Robert Runcie (left), at Lambeth Palace vesterday

bidding farewell to Bishop Gerald Ellison, the former Bishop of London, who is to become

Dr Runcie's Vicar-General of Bermuda. The unusual appointment of vicar-general allows

Bishop Ellison to carry out all the episcopal functions of a bishop of Bermuda (Photograph: Barry Beattie)

By John Young, Agriculture Correspondent

illed the air with swirling smuts.

From his home near Faver-sham, Kent, Mr David Crouch, Conservative MP for Canterbury, described the scene there as like a black sandstorm and said he was writing to Mr Michael Jopling, Minister of Agriculture, to ask for immediate legislation to stop

"Although I have always been a come to call a halt", he said.

This sort of thing has happened before, but never on such a scale."

Services tomorrow:

Fourteenth Sunday

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after Trinity

Growing public opposition to A gale had polluted the air up straw and stubble burning was to a height of several hundred intensified yesterday as strong feet, he said. The ash was finding winds blew the ash off fields and its way through doors and windows and forming a layer of

> Farming must come under stricter control, Mr Crouch insisted. It was time farmers showed a greater respect for the rest of society. He said he understood that burning was outlawed in France and Germany, and Britain should fall into line with its EEC partners.

Complaints were pouring in strong supporter of farmers and of the National Farmers' Union offices, and local branches of the (NFU), I believe the time has NFU. A police spokesman in NFU. A police spokesman in Faversham said the station had been swept several times but still the ash was getting in.

suner 11, Rev S Millar; ES, 6.30, Rev J T C B Collins HOLLY TRINITY, Prince Consort Road SWT: HC, 8.30; Choral Eucharist, 11, Fr D Computed.

TRINITY, Stozne Street (Stozne HC. 8.30, HC. 10.30, Canon

I, HC 12.10. ALBAN'S, Hollborn: SM, 9,30; HM, rice in F. Sing my soul (Ned Rorein), iding: LM, 5,30.

PEL JAMES, CONTACT HOR, CIDY HC, 10.30, ST. JAMES, CONTACT HOR, TO. 10.30, SURgential H. C. Kopp. L. C

Despite the recent assertion by Mr Christopher Righton, the NFU vice-president, that there was "no alternative" to burning, and Mr Jopling's stated view that it was not a suitable matter for islation, the union clearly feels that it has its back to the wall.

An official ruefully agreed yesterday that, coming on top of public protests about smoke and accidental burning of trees and hedgerows, the "ash storm" was the worst thing that could have

The union had issued an amendment to its code of practice this year, advising farmers to plough or till the soil as soon as possible after burning. But that was difficult because the ground was baked hard after weeks

ST MARYLEBONE Parish Chunch: HC. 8 and 11. Miles Assumpts est Meria Chunchina), Sicht curvus (Pelestrina), Heria C. K. Miles Cocker, 6.30 Milestry of Healing, Laures on et Hands, Rev C. K. Miles and Hands.

ST SIMON ZELOTES, Creites: HC. 8:
MP. 11: EP. 6-30. Rev O R Clarke.
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ST COLUMEA'S (Church of Scaland)
Post Street Suprisms) 11. Rev. W. A.
Carrey of Wiright
CROWN Francis of Wiright
Scotland) Russell Street, Covern Garden:
11.18 and 6.30, Nov J Miller Scott Hz.

WEST LONGON MISSION, Hinds Street Michael Chierch, Will II. Roy & OWENTO, 15 MPLE, Holbert Visited: EC. 6.30, Rev Dr S Johnston.

SIR KENNETH ROBERTS-WRAY the Commonwealth Relations Sir Kenneth Roberts-Wray, Office - in 1945 until his

retirement in 1960. In 1966, his thousand-page considerable distinction, holding high office in the legal civil service and making a notable treatise Commonwealth and Colonial Law was published, the distillation of a litetime's expericontribution to legal scholarship ence and knowledge. It was a considerable work of scholarship He took a first in Jurisprudence

and richly deserved the Oxford D.C.L. it earned. He was appointed C.M.G. in 1946, K.C.M.G. in 1949 and G.C.M.G. in 1960. He took Silk in 1959. The University of Birmingham conferred an honor-

ary LL.D. on him in 1968. 1926, transferring to the Dominions Office and the Colonial Office as Second Assistant Legal Adviser in 1931. He He married first Joan Waring who died in 1961, and secondly Mary, widow of Sir Ernest Williams, who survives him. There are three sons of his first

Although often accused of

issues, he was positive in pressing

cratic caucus on the re-election of

the Speaker of the House, he lost

#### DR LAWRENCE P. McDONALD

legislation.

Dr Lawrence Patton McDonald was similarly opposed McDonald, a Democrat from to making King's birthday a Georgia in the United States holiday. House of Representatives who is presumed to have lost his life in Christain Voice, one of the early McDonew right organizations, McDo-nald opposed homosexual rights ter, was widely regarded as the most conservative member of Congress, He was 48.

As chairman of the John Birch having a negative view on many society, which regularly helped to finance his election campaigns, McDonald championed that McDonald championed that for military strength to withstand organization by inserting many of the threat of international commits long and arch-conservative munism; but last year, after refusing to vote with the Demo-

A physician from Marietta, Georgia, he toured the country to denounce the 1978 Panama Canal treaties, warning that any one who supported or voted for these in Atlanta on April 1, 1935, and treaties thould be appropriated from Davidson College was supported or voted for messes treaties should be permanently retired from public life.

He also voted and campaigned

against a plan to place a memorial to the Rev Dr Martin Luther King in the Halls of Congress, maintaining that while the assassinated civil rights leader had professed non-violence, he was in fact wedded to violence.

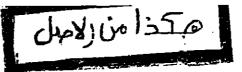
in Atlanta on April 1, 1935, and graduated from Davidson College in North Carolina. He received North Carolina. He received his doctorate in medicine from Emory University in 1957, and then served as a surgeon in the US

McDonald is survived by his wife and their two children, and by three children of a previous

### Latest wills

Mr Mungo Campbell, of Longwitton, Morpeth, Northumberland, a director of Barciaya Bank, and co-founder of the Rothley Trust, a charatable organization which helps a variety of social services, left estate valued at £781,134 net. He left his property mostly to benefit his wife and the Rothley Trust. Other estates include (net, before tax paid):

Davies, Mr John Idris, of Banstead Surrey Frances Mande, of Kirkel-Holdich, Frances Mande, of Kirkella, North Humberside. £223,184
Lewit, Mrs Sophia, of Marylebone.
London £702,714
Newman, Mrs Barbara, of Elackbura, Lancashire. £469,299
Wardington, Baroness, of Exbury, Hampshire, widow of the 1st Baron
Wardington £49,731 Watson, Mrs Hannah Isobel, of Hambledon, Hampshire....£225,177



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## THE ARTS



and fifth Baronet, the century of

vhose birth falls on September

8, is actually quite small, but

since even some of these are in

danger of being forgotten by people under fifty and, but for a

mall band of enthusiasts, most of

his work is neglected, they should

Lord Berners composed music

wrote memoirs and novels, and

Lord Berners (left) was a composer, a novelist, a painter and a man of great hospitality. Between the wars he entertained the famous, the well-born, the wicked, the amusing, talented and beautiful in a style they never forgot'. Today, he is probably best remembered for the ballet 'A Wedding Bouquet', for which he both wrote the score and designed the costumes - right, Pépé ('This would make a dog uneasy'). Michael Ratcliffe celebrates the centenary of his birth which falls in the middle of this month.

## Lord Berners, that most versatile peer

clavichord in the back of the Rolls was not installed in order that "the versatile peer" of popular myth might avent the boredom along the way, it was tucked under the front seat and taken into hotels at night so that the composer might compose, as he usually did between seven and nine in the morning. It was not (pace Evelyn Waugh) a spinet, nor Bechstein grand

painted. Osbert Sitwell believed that he had done more than Some idea of how he might have sounded on a piano may be gathered from a private recording anyone else to civilize the wealthy in England between the wars, and Stravinsky, partly out of respect made in Oxford of a 1941 polk and affection towards him, partly from malice towards the others, the effect is a cross between Mr Foad on a clear highway and described him as the "best" Wanda Landowska crashing a water-jump: being an artist of exhibitating determination and wentieth-century composer we got. Berners compared to the old man of spirit, and a Baron at that, he remains in the saddle, but you can see why Nadia Boulanger tapped Thermopylae who never did anything properly. He divided his time between Rome (3 Foro him on the shoulder one we Romano) and Faringdon House at the house and asked him to in Berkshire, where he dyed his move over. "I think she came pigeons the colours of the Folies with Gide", remembers his friend and heir Robert Heber-Percy, the ergères, built the last folly in and entertained the present owner of Faringdon. "Gerald used to make the most awful row and rattled the tin toys amusing, talented and beautiful in a style and with a all over the house. He didn't mind generosity they never forgot. Oh a bit."
yes, and the dogs were diamond Mus

amateur composer only in the literal sense that his training was Much of this was repeated tirelessly in the British press minimal and incomplete - was the most considerable of his three 1920 and his death in 1950, when The Times placed talents, and painting the least him in the dilettante tradition of The small mannerty, Corot-tened Beckford and Walpole and seemed to imply that, in the grave landscapes of France, Italy and England breathe an airlessness new world of socialism and the quite foreign to most of his besidized arts, nothing further personality and work, dun-like ed be said.

A biography is badly needed, his orchestral string particularly subsidized arts, nothing further for even the most superficial the Fanthiste Espagnole (1929)

remain brilliant and fresh. and add to the puzzle. It is true, for example, that he travelled After leaving Eton he studied in Dresden, acquiring a taste for Wagner and Strauss, entered the about the countryside in a Rulls Royce protected by a series of Diplomatic Service and whilst serving at the British Embassy in Rome during the First World War became a punil of Alfredo Casella. masks designed to stun the stares of the vulgar, but when he died it turned out that many of the vulgar had adored him and not

The number of once-familiar facts been frightened at all worse, he Between 1913 and 1921 he about Gerald Hugh Tyrwhitt. was genuinely mourned as an composed a number of startlingly Wilson, fourteenth Baron Berners Influence for the Good. The originial piano pieces and songs, nding parody, sentiment and pastiche (many of them may be heard on Peter and Meriel Dickinson's record A Portrait of Lord Berners, Unicorn RHS 355), which established him as a France-orientated member of the Much of his talent in these

early pieces is graphic. The first of the three little funeral marches, for example (for a statesman, a canary and a rich aunt), of which Casella himself gave the première at the Accademia di Santa Cecilia in 1916, suggests a figure performing private and unregarded leaps for joy at the back of a great cruwd. The year 1916 saw the death of the Emperor Franz. Josef and the bitth of Da-Da, and in this strange little piece the two occasions meet, but Berners rarely sustained any sort of destructiveness for long and it is striking that, of the three "Psychological fragments" of 1916, the one which has worn best is not "Laughter" or "Hate" but "The Sigh"... His happiest gift lay in omposing music for dancers. He

wrote five ballets. The Trumph of Neptine (1926) for Diaghilev and Luna Park (1930) for a Cochrane Wedding Bouquet (1936), Cupid and Psyche (1939) and Les Sirenes (1946), these three choreographed Ashton for Sadler's Wells Ballet. There is much vivacity to delight in them all, but Wedding ique, to a text by Gertrud Stein which treats words like squash balls huried round a polygram, is Berners's master-piece - formy; unstoppable and unseffishly well shaped to the shapelessness of the narrative. It

The major events of the michary celebrations - issued incidentally, by the recording companies, the Proms, BBC2 and Chame! 4 - are the British première of his only opera, Le Carrosse de Saint Sacrement

(Radio 3, September 18), an exhibition at the Royal Festival Hall (September 29-November 17) and the republication of First Childhood and Far From the Madding War (1941) in one paperback volume (Oxford, £2.95). Berners is joint composer of the week from September 19, and Peter Dickinson's radio documentary follows Carrosse. at Wigmore Hall on September

Le Carrosse de Saint Sacre-

ment, produced at the Théatre des Champs Elyses in 1924, is based on the Merimée story which inspired Offenbach's *Périchole*. (Perhaps they could be played together?). An earlier opera, Sakkumtula, was abandoned in 1920, presumably because Alfano had just got there first, and a later one. Faust, with libretto by the friend whom he referred to in this context as Goethe-rude Stein, disintegrated on the outbreak of the Second World War when Berners came close to complete breakdown for the only time in his life. At the beginning of 1940 he underwent psychoanalysis. "What was it like?" friends would enquire. They opened up my mind and they found a dead

Recovery from depression was swift. By the end of 1940 Berners had written his most suggestive and extrovert music-hall song, "Red Roses and Red Noses", and was turning out no fewer than four short novels, all published in 1941: Far from the Madding War, Count Omega, Percy Wallingford and Mr Pidger and The Romance of a Nose. An earlier novel, The Girls of Radcliff Hall, a roman a clef after Angela Brazil, with Cecily, was privately printed in 1935. The novels were welcomed as escapist fiction and eagerly awaited by the oddest people, including Mrs George Bernard Shaw, who had spent a weekend at Faringdon in the Thirties with her husband and signed the



Betjeman, Maurice Bowra and the wife to the above". Two Shaw letters will be among writer himself, Berners engages the patriotic Zeitgeist with a sharp many Berners memorabilia in what promises to be a splendid and sceptical sword, offering a exhibition on the South Bank, including Beerbohm's drawing, all wicked alternative view of Chur-chilf's and Orwell's Englands pointy shoes at the piano, of "Lord Berners making more sweetness than violence", a letter which, had it been fully under stood at the time, must surely have given offence. from Dali which looks as though a Towards the end of his lecture rather distracted bird has stamped all over it, and the elaborate

exchange of letters between Berners Walton and their respect-

ive solicitors over a threat to put

book titled "Ridiculous Compos-

on a trip to Athens with him and

Sir Osbert Sitwell in the Twenties,

Berners climbed the Acropolis

First Childhood (1934) takes a

voice of its own, but once it does

direct: "In appearance", writes Berners of his paternal grand-

mother, "Lady Bourchier was not

Bloody Mary with just a touch of

peculiarities of human behaviour.

Walton was an irresistible butt:

ers I Have Known".

carried away by his eloquence, he had exhorted them to mee the foe with blazing eyes. The Provost had complimented him on the success of his oratory and said that he had heard that som many people were walking about the streets with blazing eyes that torches were no longerna Thus "Lollipop" Jenkins, alias

Harold Nicolson, on a visit from early one morning to chalk "Osbert loves Willie", the corridors of power to stiffen Oxford's languid resolve. (Nicolson was so upset by this that Berners had to insist he had never few pages to shake off a certain Georgian quaintness and find a had him in mind.) Beneath the iokes is a desperate sense of the result is devastating and war. Emmeline, the Warden's daughter, decides that for her war work she will meticulously unpick, an hour each day, a piece Hoibein's portrait of of German medieval embroidery Charley's Aunt." Thereafter, this faced with the prospect of the old memoir of an imaginative child in a philistine environment rarely decay, she begins to wonder whether it would be better to end puts a foot wrong and offers an ally wise view of the it quickly, and that to destroy might, in the long run, be less terrible than to create. whether through a loving and subtle portrait of his mother, to

We are a long way from the jolly postcard of 1935 ("It was whom he was close, in the sadism of a prep-school headmaster or lovely meeting Hitler", wrote Berners to Heber-Percy from the indestructible indifference of late-Victorian Shropshire when not even the arrival of two single ladies at a book tea dressed as I Munich) and close the comedy of real despair. Far From the Madding War is much tougher ssi sposi could cause much which it has been compared, and a hard, bright jewel from a dark hour. Only 70 pages long and described at the time as charmmay be enjoyed for its own sake and as a kind of companion-prologue to Waugh's Put Out More Flags (1942), a comparison which ingly inconsequential and glori-Berners has no cause to fear. It is a find, a lost classic, and a perfect funny, it is certainly the second but not the reader soon realizes, the first. For, beyond way to begin the savouring of lightly fictionalized portraits of Lord Berners.

## Radio All done by ear

Do you ever have the feeling. when the credits come up for those programmes of scientific explanation at which television is held to be so good, that your grasp less than might have been expected? Why so? Is it that you're not quite bright enough to

Perhaps... but such programmes often suggest another and quite different reason: it is as if wealth of diagram, implacable ingenuity in the devising of visual quivalents and the human eye's addiction to constant movement and variety - which television really has no option but to serve had by some means obscured the information to be conveyed. If, as Channel 4 has tried to do, you sit people down to discuss some without the accustomed visual trappings, then the eye -which expects to be diverted becomes bored, and again infornation, which may in itself be The blessing of radio is that the

insatiable eye can have no expectations. Everything is down to the slow and patient ear, and I have been nowbere more concious of the value of this than in listening to the Radio 3 series of Friday evening interviews which ducting with eminent scientific

The format is much the samefrom week to week: Maddox delivers a short introduction 10 the evening's topic and mentions some of the problems that surround it: How do genetic instructions result in fully formed living creatures? What do people do in mathematical research? What is present understanding of the structure of the earth? Or of the cosmos? How does the body's immune system work? There is always only one topic per programme and the introduction alminates in the first question. Several questions and answers

later there is a summary of what has been said; then more question and answer, more summary; and so on. If an answer threatens to fly off into the technical stratosphere, Maddox quickly pulls it into a lower orbit, but never - if the apparently respectful interview relationship is anything to go by -to the point of oversimplification or distortion of the speaker's To someone like myself with a

ague scientific interest but little

Kenneth Williams is the cha-

meleon of speech; his voice hits a

high note and then plummets to

the earth, a duchess one minute

and a dustman the next. The low

nasal sound of cockney can be

discerned in even the most regal circumstances, however, which is

no doubt why his Comic Roots (BBC !) are in St Pancras, London Mr Williams is an

unmistakeable part of that breezy,

vulgar tradition of London humour, all bloomers and Army

medical examinations, which died in music hall only to be revived

on television. How else can you

rise above the size, dirt and anonymity of the great city except by being outrageous — a London "type" but, like the great music hall performers, so intensely so

tation of little Kenneth in London

before the war - the piano in the

pub, the dilapidated school where

that it becomes a form of art?

**Television** 

One-man comedy

capacity or education, the result is immensely informative. For instance, on the basis of Natural ces, last night's talk with Dr Martin Raff, I seem for the first time to have a general grasp of what immunology is about. Perhaps such subjects can be discussed only at or above a certain level of difficulty and concentration. Does televis which I'm sure has tried to tell me about immunology before – fail because it oversimplifies in diagrams and visual equivalents and cannot by its nature stay with one speaker or one image for more than seconds at a time?

Mind you, even on Radio 3 all is not entirely without blemish: John Maddox has shown in the past that he prefers the more "scientific" sciences and he is doing it again. To be fair, this preference, but a radio one: where we are in psychology, sociology, anthropology is something with which radio science (and medicine, come to that) does not much concern itself. How is it, when its lethal effects are everyw see, that we take so little interest in our own behaviour and its origins? That is a question which, as it mulls over future policy, the Science Unit might like to

Science stood upon the fringes of an engaging little programme last Tuesday and did so to some effect. In Jinxes (Radio producer, John Theocharis) Jack Gratus had assembled the experiences of a number of people convinced that they were victims of quite exceptional runs of minor disaster. In between a statistician and a psychologist commented; the former pointing out that probability is a much less exclusive idea than people think -the coin can show "heads" ten times in a row and no one needlook outside the probable. The psychologist remarked how peop often behave so as to make bad luck" inevitable; or select. the events that support a "jinx" explanation while ignoring those that do not, and so on.

Not one contributor, it seemed me could really point to misfortune requiring special explanation, but all thought they could I was reminded of the caution: "Think yourself unlucky only if you take up coffin-making

he learnt to recite Browning, and

grandmothers who could only

now be separated from Mr

Williams by an act of exorcism.

This was the only television autobiography in which the hero played all the parts.

Mr Williams is a natural

comedian, although the flaring of

the nostrils and the narrowing of

the eyes have come from long practice. As a child he played

Princess Angelica in The Rose and the Ring and the local paper

described "his mincing step and

comic demeanour": he has never

looked back since, although on

occasions he must have been followed. But he is a most-

engaging man - he lives in a world of comic fantasy, in which he is the only inhabitant. Who can blame him for leaving \$2

Peter Ackroyd

Pancras?

WEEKEND

CHOICE

Kings of Infinite Space (tomorrow, BBC 2, 8.10pm) has to do story about a brief encounter at a

any number of aunts

**David Wade** 

## EDINBURGH FESTIVAL Agreeable trip down

## a side path

### Colour Moves

King's Theatre The theory behind Ballet Ram-

bert's new work, given at Edinburgh on Thursday, was explained in an interview with Bridget Riley in *The Times* on Wednesday. The starting point is her designs, the first she has made for the stage, but in a style familiar from her paintings. Composer, choreographer and costume designer follow on from there, hence the title, Colour

It is about 20 years since Norman Morrise tried that idea for the same company in The Realms of Choice, working with Ralph Koltai, a then little known designer. The only other precedent that springs to mind is when Roland Petit, the best part of 20 years earlier still, frugally decided to re-use 2 good decor and found himself ending up with a second himself ending up with a new ballet. The rarrity of the practice is 2 good indication that it is unlikely to suit many balletic circumstances, but the quality of the artist justified the present

First then the setting, or rather five settings, since the first cloth, hung well forward, is lifted away to reveal another behind, then another drops in front of that, and

They are alternately in cool or

Albert Hall/Radio 3 & 4

After such a superb, exhibitating

performance of Berlioz's Symphonie Fantastique as the London Symphony Orchestra gave on

Thursday, criticism seems besides

the point. It must be a relief for

this orchestra to escape from its troubles in another place and to repersuade us that it really is a

first-class orchestra, on its day,

and this indeed was its day, one of

There may have been the

occasional rough string entry, the odd brass chord that did not quite come together, a passing infelicity

of uning or phrasing. But all that paled into insignificance beside the tremendous cohesion which

the best in the world.

LSO/Abbado

hot colour combinations until the last, which combines (I think) all the previous colours. Vertical surpes are the preferred choice of pattern, but diagonals and hotizontals take a turn and one cloth

has spots: Some are more successful than Some are more successful than others in achieving the illusion of an extra colour appearing, where two contrasting colours join. That will probably depend a lot on the lighting facilities of each theatre, and there cannot be many that do not excel the kings. The first cloth especially was hard to see luckly that provides the briefest scene.

charsopher henstead a must changes temperature and moed with the setting, hotter or cooker, more lively or submed. Scored for four wind players, five strings, piano and percussion, it is consistently pleasing in an unde-manding, tuneful idiom, jazzy at times, reminiscent of Copland at another.

Andrew Storer has dressed the

dancers so that each wears; at any moment, a single colour take from one of the cloths, usually the one being shown; but sometimes anticipating or returning. To vary the outline he uses various garments (shorts, ankle warmers, trousers or different tops) worn on top of the basic all-over tights. With a cast of 12, there must be

some quick changes back stage to achieve such variety of effect.

Promenade Concert

One intended effect, however, simply does not work for most of the audience. Anyone above stage level sees the dancers only occationally and partly against the backcloth. Most of the time the floor cloth which must once have been white but is now a pale grey provides the background

ist which you actually see the performers. Besides, leaving heads and hands visible prevents complete colour transformation The ballet has another limit tation. Robert North's choreography keeps everyone moving busily and is heatly enough

so on But even its big passages are not especially memorable, an adagio number for himself and Cathrine Price for instance, or a comic trio for Frances Carty, with Ikky Mass and Paul Melis Consequently it does not build any excitement or satisfying The climax is one of colour, not

movement, when a single white ciad dancer appears at the end.
It might have been interesting to match Bridget Riley's skills against those of a more imaginative choreographer. Or would that only have been a distraction from what is an agreeable exploration of a side path, but nothing to do with the main road of ballet?

John Percival

Tales from Hollywood

Olivier

Christopher Hampton's plays are either wholly personal or the product of footslogging journal-istic research. I suspect that one factor that attracted him to the subject of emigre German writers in wartime Hollywood was his parallel experience as a highly successful dramatist who vandream factory. But, as it turns out, Tales from Hollywood follows Savages as a scrupulously re-searched piece of reconstruction. Unlike that play, though, it is not the work of a man fired with his

ently is a concern with technique; derstandable preoccupation. given the difficulties of the subject. Los Angeles may have been swarming with exiled giants, but as many of them were not on speaking terms what use are they to a dramatist? Hampton's solution is to reprieve Odon von Horvath from his chance death in a Paris thunderstorm, and dispatch him to California to bserve how chance dealt with the refugee intelligentsia.

Hampton reserves his technical nasterstroke for the treatment of Brecht, at whose every apprarance away, house lights go up, captions descend, and if the scene is laid in

Brecht's total, intransigent con-viction of his own genius and Hollywood on his own terms. Ian McDiarmid, equipped with the obligatory cigar and two-days' beard, disrupts every scene with high-pitched nasal derision, in which his contempt for the Californian way of life is only exceeded by his contempt for Thomas Mann. It is a wonderful

portrait of a top-dog forced into the role of underdog; and thoroughly confirms the view that during his American years. It is which never heals up. The rest of the play thrives best

One thing that curbs the comedy, though, is the sense that on their own terms, as the cultural superiors of their host society Perhaps they were, but the Americans that do put in the occasional appearance conform so completely to the crass Hollywood stereotype that you feel like

As for the other characters, Thomas Mann makes an early score as the one exile who sees himself as a monarch surrounded by a fawning court. Guy Rolfe plays him beautifully, allowing the narcissism and self-regard merely to glint through a surface of faultless courtesy. The main failure of the evening is in the treatment of brother Heinrich. If Hampton and Horvath have one aim in common, it is to put the oveshadowed Heinrich back on the map. Philip Locke extracts every particle of trony and nce from the character, but the lines impel him inescapably into playing a sweet, simple old man bravely induring his last days with the frustrated alcoholic

Michael Gambons's Horvath is a progidiously varied figure, quiet careerist, and - on two volcanic Europe's agony.

Alison Chity's vast screens, projecting location pictures, cartoons, and empty expanses of Pacific blue, do convey a strong sense of the treacherous west coast paradise; would the same were true of the play.



ideas that became big creations. You must decide for yourself clients, most of whom are whether, in this context, big is also beautiful. However, compared with the giant concrete boxes with glass holes that have dominated the Modern move ally peep through and, in her model or move that in architecture these pasts and the modern move ally peep through and, in her middle years, Miss Simmons has middle years, Miss Simmons has a middle years. few decades, the vast office-blocks and art galleries and churches designed by Frank Lloyd Wright (post-Modern) tend to lift the spirit even when, on occasion, they also sear the eye. Mostly, Robin Lough's admirably nontechnical documentary allows the buildings to speak, or shout, for themselves. For the uninitiated, however, it proves helpful to have one's perception focused by Mr Graves and by Charles Jencks, the

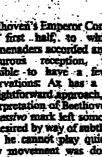
forgotten the human element.

Down at the Hydro (tomorrow,

with architecture, not Star Wars, health farm between a widower though some of its "sets" (it is not (Ian Carmichael) and a wife (Jean always possible to think of them Simmons) promises more than it produces in the way of emotional impact, and the "will-they, won't galactic big-bangery. This is the they?" aspect of the story story of two Americans with big eventually takes second place to the antics of the other hydro noticeably sharpened her acting Radio choice: A Day in the Life

of Radio 4) (tonight, Radio 4. 7.20) is an affectionte leg-pull at the expense of the network's programmes and performers. Some of Russell Davies's jokes probablyy looked better on paper than they sound, and whatever happened to Woman's Hour? But most of the impersonations are wickedly accurate.

Peter Davalle



orchestra. Details: how good to hear the string in the waltz fulfil every tiny dynamic mark, com-plete with a convinced glissando stide (at which even the woodwind had a stab in the Witches' How splendid to hear all the LSO wind principals on top form, complete with screeching E flat clarinet and rollicking bessoons. And after the cabinned, cribbed sound of this piece in the LSO's regular hall, how splendid to hear the oboe echo and the bells clang from the open spaces at the top of the Albert Hall.

in short Hall.

In short, great music-making enjoyed by a vast andience, a Prom to make converts to music-About Emissuel Ax's account of

Camdio Abbado's conducting Beethoven's Emperor Concerto in gave to, and drew from, the the first half, to which the promenadors accorded an equally rapturous reception, it was possible to have a few more reservations: Ax has a chunky straightforward approach, and his interpretation of Beethoven's first espressivo mark left something to be desired by way of subtlety. Not that he cannot play quietly: the slow movement was done with bated breath, and the explosion into the finale, even if not ideally precise, was powerfully effective. A few little slips, mostly in the left hand, were covered by a strong sense of direction throughout his playing: rhythmically, it was an exhausting evening.

Nicholas Kenyon

#### Theatre

Brecht's garden there is a finger-post inscribed "Brecht's garden". This is a wonderful visual gag, and it also drives home the fact of

Brecht was at his very worst in Peter Gill's production, and when Mr McDiarmid pushes his space-stage doorway off the scene for the last time, he leaves a gap

literary gossip. There are some eye-catching opening flourishes with Tarzan and the Mark Brothers, establishing that Mann knew Johany Weissmuller, and that Schönberg played tennis with Harop. The Salka Viertel salon springs to life, with a hilarious double lecture by the Brothers Mann during which the joint dries up to a crisp; and later, with the mass emigré brouhaha over the signing of the Moscow Free Germany declaration.



Ian McDiarmid and Michael Gambon

Hampton is accepting the emigrés jumping to their defence.

**Irving Wardle** 

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**BRITISH FUNDS** 

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Jobbers continued to play their game of cat-and-mouse with brokers yesterday marking share prices up in a late burst of activity just before the close.

An unexpected rally on Wall

An unexpected rally on Wall Street provided the signal for the sudden change of heart in London where the long three week Bank Holiday account had threatened to end on a dull note.

The wild fluctions were reflected in the FT Index which had continued to drift throughout the day and was showing a fall of 7.1 at 3 pm. But this loss had been reduced to only 2.8 at 705.8 by the close – a fall on the account of the close - a fall on the account of

Blue chips closed above their worst levels with Beecham down 2p at 338p, after 335p, BICC down 2p to 223p, after 220p, Boots 5p off at 165p, after 162p, Bowster up ip at 211p, after 209p, GEC up ip at 206p, after 202p, Hawker Siddeley unchanged at 310p, after 308p, and Plessey 3p up at 191p, after 186p. 13.5.

Gilts took heart from the latest official reserve figures wiping out earlier falls of up to 50p in longs to end the day all square. But on the foreign exchange the pound had another poor showing sliding again below the \$1,50 level. It closed 0.3 cents down at \$1,4955.

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ACCOUNT DAYS: Desings begin, Monday. Desings end, Sept 16. Contango Day, Sept 19. Settlement Day, Sept 26. As dealers left for home last night they were forecasting few signs of improvement when the new account starts on Monday. Investors are still unwilling to leave the sidelines and sentiment will not be affected by the Labour Day celebrations in the United States with Wall Street closed.

Red faces round at Harvard Securities yesterday after investors received a circular from them advising to do nothing about Reynolds diversified proposed Reynolds diversified proposed £9m rights issue. The circular was written two weeks ago after Harvard cancelled its underwrit-ing agreement with Reynolds. Harvard has since agreed to take up its commitments, but someone forgot to destroy the letters. Reynolds is expected to make an announcement on the rights next work.

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Dragon Data, the home computer

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But this enthusiasm failed to rub off on the other Irish cash injection. The shares were

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group in which Mettoy has a 15 per cent stake, has run into cash flow problems. Earlier this year Mettoy sold off the bulk of its holding in Dragon to City institutions, including the Prudential

Last night Mr Bernard Hanson, charman of Mettoy, said: "We are still deliberating". But it is are still dealberating. But it is widely expected in the City that Mettoy will be forced to sever its connexion with Dragon and will not take any part in the £2.5m rescue put together hurriedly yesterday by the Prudential.

Other computer stocks also suffered on the news. Fobel International lost 13p to 83p, and Applied Computers 25p to 390p.
On the bid front, shares of Hoover 'A' were again on the move, boosted by thenews that the US parent would make a nimority bid for the remaining shares it does not already own.

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head of Morgan Crucible, is taking over the hot-seat allowing Shares of Sound Diffusion, the electronic engineer, dipped 2p to 100p yesterday as a line of over 800,000 shares went through the market. The shares were sold at around the 99%p level and represents about 2 per cent of the equity. The Friends' Provident Life Office is the biggest outside shareholder with 6.6 per cent of the shares.

Mr Max Rippon to devote more time to the technical side of the

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suspended on August 11, at 165p and yesterday opened at 190p before hitting a high of 265p. The price ended the day at 250p - 2 rise of 85p.

The group recieved its much The group recieved its much needed cash injection from a consortium of investors who ploughed in £187,000 in return for new shares of 15p each and substantially below the current market price. The consortium now owns over 50 per cent of the company and now hopes to stem the losses which grew from £57,000 to £140,000 last year.

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Monday following a one-tor-one share split.

It has been quite a week for the Irish oil exploration stock Atlantic Resources. At one stage, the price fell as low as 250p and even at that level the jobbers were unable to tempt the buyers. But yesterday the shares jumped a further 30p to 345p as the sudden surge of buyers caught the market surge of buyers caught the market

The high for the shares of 515p was achieved only last month

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## Water sports: The new wave rolls in

If Everest had not been there, someone would have felt obliged to invent it . . . such is man's love of challenge and adventure-

Mary Wilson joins the jet skiers and speed sailors whose devotion to new sport has led them to put motorbikes on skis and decorate yachts with fins, foils, taik and outrageous amounts of canvas.

Theirs is the search for thrills, spills and the ultimate knot

## Jet setting as the spray flies

The ingenious jet ski combines the water ski with the motorcycle. allowing devotees to speed on water with the freedom and safety of jet propulsion. Such an idea had to come from California – inventor Clay Jacobson thought it all up there in 1970.

Jacobson's first prototype was built with a V hull and fixed handle-pole and used a Rotox engine. It was fantastic but riders found it almost impossible to

Jacobson knew his premise was right, so he started looking for a big manufacturer. Kawasaki saw its potential and in 1971 produced the first machine as it is now. Today at Thorpe Park, Surrey, British enthusiasts will gather for the 1983 jet ski championships.

In Britain jet skiing as a new sport, has not only had to catch the public's interest, but also to ide lake owners and clubs to recognize it as a viable sport. The enthusiasts have had some future events. The Peter Smyve-sant company enabled them to have their first national television up, as movement is effected to coverage when they jet-ski race during their recent water-skiing championships.

When you hear jet akis you might think you are about to be enveloped by swarming homes. I first heard the loud droning noise as eight jet skis were scorching around a creacent-shaped lake.

for two years at the most. They did try to even up the odds the night before the race by religiously drinking mineral water while the Americans laid back the Scotch. Someone even put Kirsch on the cornflakes at breakfast but to no avail! The late, hard night had not the slightest effect on the American team's superior

However, our jet skiers learned a great deal from the opposing team - mechanical and practical team – mechanical and practical.

The advantages of the sport tips gleaned from years of over water-sking and metocross practice; and they were aware of – from which most of the present-the Americans' very different day riders originate – are many. It style – more upright, especially is an individual sport. You can style - more upright, especially when cornering. That is a vital

When the excitement had waned, they asked me if I would like to try out a jet ski. Did I detect a smirk on their faces?

The invitation was met with some trepidation. I cannot ride a motorcycle and I have never set feet on water-skis, so the description of the sport as a mixture of the two did nothing to change." alleviate my fears.

A jet ski is 7ft long and 2ft wide, powered by a 440cc or 550cc engine. Although it looked kittenish bobbing about in the water, after watching one being raced at 45mph I knew it was capable of turning into a savage

Thankfully, I found the ma-chime relatively easy to ride. The knack – and the challenge – is to balance yourself. Once this is-accomplished you are unlikely to fall off, as long as you remember you are a novice, proceed at about 10mph and try not to ape the antics of the experienced riders.

What happens if you tomble off? The jet ski automatically slows down and, as only a well-mannered machine should bedirection. The handlebars are on the end of a movable central control column, which can be adjusted to any height for child or adult to ride it kneeling or studding

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> He took the telephone number of the manufacturers off the small metal name tag on the back of the machine and phoned them. At first the people at Kawasaki were somewhat unhelpful, but he dosselly persuaded them it would be a good idea to sell in England, and after a year of negotiating contracts he accured the franchise for this country.

when cornering. That is a vital take off any time; anywhere, as part of racing, and our team soon the whim takes you. Only two realized that leaning right into the people are needed to lift the

water, bottom first, was not the machine, and it can be launched most satisfactory method of solo with a small trolley. It is rope, a driver and an obse

skiing requires only your Mark Voyles, number three in America, used to motocross but now prefers jet skiing. He explained: "There's no dust, it's ner, water is softer to fall on, and above all there are no tyres to

There are about 200 private owners at present, with 65 members of the British Jet Ski Association regularly attending race meetings. An owners-only club has just been formed at Kempton Park.

The park, which I thought was entirely dedicated to horse racing, has a 30-acre lake right in the centre of the course. Members of the club are given a key so that they can use the lake at their own convenience, as long as they remember the horses always take

To jet-ski you need to be fit. James Carne, a former European water-ski jump holder, empha-sized that he needs to work out at a gym four times a week to have enough stamina to race. He estimates it falls between straight water-skiing and slalom in exertion. Tony Jacobs, who distributes the machines in the South-East, doesn't train so dedicatedly. He reckons that a

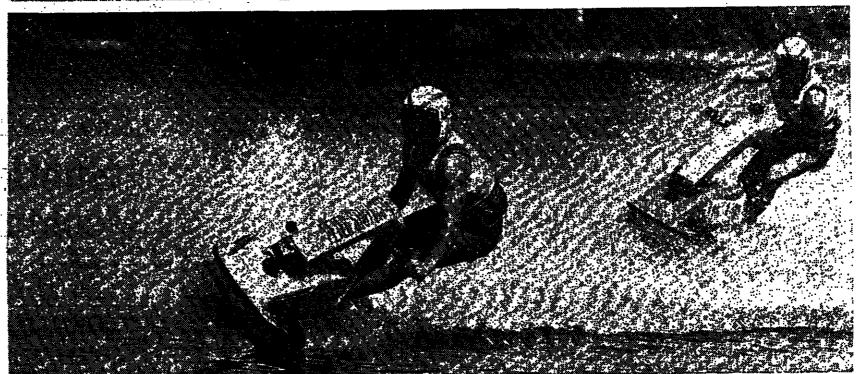
Two of the European team come from Ireland - Gerry Stephens and Michael Doherty. They are both from Dublin and familically take the farry over for

decided that a safer sport would beneat his wife and two children. He first discovered jet sking after a bad motorcycling power in his left arm. He met Michael, who persuaded him to use the machine to build up the strength in his arm. Gerry did as that time he was hooked on the

Gerry keeps up his stamina by using his jet ski all through the year. "Even in the snow, ice and gales," he enthused, "it's wondergates, he enthused, it's wonder-ful at jumping from wave to wave." I'm not sure if our boys from England would agree.

Geny was the only one who was upset at doing so badly against the Americans. He vowed to do better next time. "Now we've seen what they can do, we know what we're up against," he said. "They won't find it so easy





Technical details: Two-stroke, two-cylinder water-cooled engine with two-gallon petrol tank taking 50:1 mix, using approximately one gallon per hour. Constructed of SMC glass fibre compound with aft fin areas filled with liquid foam cooled to form dense flotation.

Price: 440cc £2,200 plus VAT; 550cc £2,500 plus VAT; modified 474cc £2,600 plus VAT. insurance: 260

Racing season is from May to September. The finals of the 1983 jet-ski championships will be held today at Thorpe Park, Staines Road, Chertsey, Surrey. Owners can use their jet skis all year round at Kempton Park Racecourse, Sunbury on Thames, Middle £115 per annum membership, £70 winter membership. Contact Tony Jacobs, 41 Mackennal Street.

Craft can be hired throughout the year, average charges £5 for 15 minute demonstration, refundable if machine is bought, £8 for half an hour, from the following:

London NW8 (722 3355).

Thorpe Park, Staines Fload, Chertsey, Surrey (722 3355), Tony Grit Overland, 13 Moulsham Street,

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For further information British Jet Ski Association, 8 Lisle Avenue, Kidderminster, Worcestershire (0562 742401).



## Rigging up to break the record

unconventional boat.

Spread out in front of me were craft with peculiar foils, fine and tails sticking out at all angles. One reminded me of a daddy-longless having fallen akimbo in the snik. I say asymmetrical catamanana with single and twin rigs, tiny sailboards with up to four sails, and a couple of boats being towed by kites. One with a ladder of 15 kites actually left the water, which seemed to defeat its purpose as a sailing boat.

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The point of this eccentric sport is purely to break records. Speed sailing is more isolationist than jet tking in that one is racing against an intangible opponent. The sport was instigated because, unlike Everest, it was not there.

Association, puts it "There was a When I first chanced upon a healthy interest by people wishing cluster of speed sailors I thought I to compare ultimate speeds of had come upon a sophisticated their particular boats, and therehad come upon a sophisticated their particular boats, and there-still competing explained. I had competition for the world's most fore produce a world record. For a Tornado catamaran, which is a

Speed sailing has been popular beam reach (for the uninitiated that means with the wind blowing speed sailing week in October at Portland Harrour, Weymouth In latter years similar weeks have race. There was no way we could been organized abroad. They have round the buoys!"
secured sponsorship but although So the idea of bringing together secured sponsorship but although backers have been forthcoming in As John Reed, secretary of the backers have been forthcoming in beed trials at the Royal Yachting past years here their enthusiasm

years people had also been trying standard design and an Olympic out new designs and developments with no way to prove their boat one year as an experiment. class. I put hydrofolls on to the and every year entinsiasts take host one year as an experiment. Their creations down to the bay to They are set at 45 degrees and

people of like mind was born, and I smess Grogono, one of the harbour - the calmer the water, originators of the speed weeks and the better to sail on the water, international authority ratifying records from all over the world, find out the truth.

in controlled conditions, what better way of demonstrating, testing and promoting their latest

check the sail area after every run, and the course is filmed by timed video. In Portland Bay a south-westerly wind is needed to break long by 30ft wide. It is owned by records, and although some Tim Coleman, who set the record people are of the opinion that the venues abroad are more fun, it is

There are five classes divided by sail area, the smallest (under 10 square metres) being dominated by surfboards and sailboards. In class B, James Grogono's boat Icarus, which he owns jointly with triumphantly held the record for several years. Their most impressive speed of 24.8 knots was

achieved in 1981.

In the unlimited class, the world record is held by Crossbow

The course is over a distance of II8 at 36 knots. Pretty nifty for a 500 metres. Official measurers sailing boat. Any form of power is, of course, forbidden. Crossbow is a behemoth of a

in 1980 but has not sailed since. a fact that all speed records have absence: "I read about the trials been established in England. Last some years ago and thought the year, a record in one class was idea sounded rather fun. I've held briefly in France, only to be done it for eight years and broken again, one week later, in thoroughly enjoyed every minute, idea sounded rather fun. I've but now I have achieved the world record I have nothing left to record, then maybe Fli think about it again."
Two of the people chasing his

record this year are Keith Stewart and Bob Downhill. Stewart's boat is a "proa" - a shunting boat towed by a 20 square metre kite inflated with a mixture of helium and air. It has one 9 meter hull and another much smaller one to Continued on page 3

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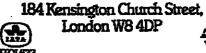
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## Long days, starry nights and a grand panorama of peaks

on from package tours with their stant sunshine and Watney's Red Barrel. A revived spirit of adventure has produced a de-mand for more challenging

holidays in remote places.
It is a strong English tradition, of course, captured in the classics by eccentric British travellers now being reissued in smart paper-backs. Such expeditions are usually to high, wild and hazardous destinations - a threemonth bicycle ride to the Karakorams, for instance.

For most of us the reality is rather different. If you work, you scenery: forested slopes, flower-cannot get the time off for such carpeted meadows, mountain exotic trips, if you are unem-streams and jagged limestone trips, if you are unemployed you cannot afford them. Hence the appearance on the market of tour operators who offer maximum adventure with minimum hassle, aiming to satisfy the call of the wild in a fortnight's flirtation with risk.

such adventure, an organized trek through the high Pyrenees operated by Sherpa Expeditions. Sample is probably the right word, as, much to my embarrassment. I was compelled by vertigo to retire from a 2,600 metre peak (of which more later) However, I experienced enough to conclude that this is the best way for all but the most experienced climbers to see such places.

#### Limestone peaks and mountain streams

The trekking party was small, only 11 people - four women, seven men, plus professional guide Paul Atkins, a young man but highly experienced and levelheaded in a crisis. The adventurers' ages ranged from 20 to about 60, though most were in their mid to late-thirties. Practically all had white-collar occupations - engineer, librarian, route insists that an ice-axe is teacher, anaesthetist, film-maker essential and "must be taken". and so on. As we gathered at Toulouse, some of them looked dauntingly lean, fit and well-prepared, with ice-axes and ropes

Paul Routledge comes face to face with vertigo on a

#### trekking holiday in the Pyrenees

es the visual attractions of the Pyrenees, that "impressive unbroken wall rising out of the green plain of Gascony". With a verbal flourish worthy of more glossy brochures it promised: "Trekking the chain, we experience a rich and varied landscape that contains all the attractions of alpine

The literature was less discursive about the physical endurance aspect, perhaps wisely so, as it turned out. The trails were described as generally well-dertnight's flirtation with risk.

This summer I sampled one strenuous". The trek was graded "C" and not for beginners. It is designed for those who are in good physical condition, "and enjoy hill walking".

In fact, the average daily climb was around 3,000 ft, which meant that our jolly hikers did more than the equivalent of climbing Everest in a formight. Add to that the descents each evening to camp at mountain refuges or sleep out under the stars, and it was small wonder that Sherpa's literature confessed: "Some days are long."

The good days could not be too long, however. The Pyrences in midsummer are magnificent, and the high-level route chosen between the impressive Cirque de Gavarnie and the Val d'Incles in Andorra showed the mountains at-This year the snow stayed late.

There were numerous steeply shelving snowfields to navigate where an ice-axe was not merely "useful" as suggested, but vital. The official guide-book to the Our route took us along the Franco-Spanish border on a 2,400-2,600 metre ridge that lived. up to its promise of a "grand panorama of near and distant sightings of wild chamois gambol-ling on the snow, glimpsed through a deep cleft in the rock opening into a secluded valley. Huge buzzards cruised gracefully

in the air currents. Underfoot, the vegetation was astonishingly varied, with trea-cherously slippery grass giving way to all manner of flowers, including orchids and the delicate

#### Hand over hand, and that sinking feeling

For this traveller, alas, there were also views down the ridge: down steep, unstable scree, down glissades of grass that ended in a sheer drop, down to a valley floor several thousand feet below whither a young river wound through what looked like Japanese bonsai trees. In short, a vertiginous tour de force. Not the mild sense of discomfort that you feel while looking over Brunel's suspension bridge across the Avon Gorge, but an almost totally enervating assault on the senses that produces light-headedness, breathing and trembling

It was too much. The dossier had casually mentioned that "there may be some scrambling over easy rocks" on that day. It did not say we would be trekking over loose slate, on a path sometimes barely a foot wide with a sharp drop on both sides, or going hand over hand up steep slopes of gispet with a sheer drop below. The stock joke of the adventure trade, "We aim to thrill, not kill", became rather

sick - almost as sick as me. I was not the only one with one of the women wanted to get off the ridge, so our guide split the

4,500ft, while the main body went by the planned route. They took 13 hours to complete the day's stint, arriving in the dark after sunt, arriving in the dark and negotiating a dangerous snowfield and a precipitous drop into the unlit camp site. The meadow there turned out to be carpeted with large, fresh cowpats rather than flowers, which added an interesting dimension to the night's camping.

The infuriating thing about falling victim to vertigo is that I am no stranger to high places. I have walked up to 10,000 ft in the Swiss Alps and even higher in Baltistan - not to mention tramping the hills of Yorkshire and climbing British mountains such as Cader Idris. The view from an aeroplane, cable car or ven chairlift does not affect me. I shall just have to get used to the fact that I am one of perhaps 5 per cent of the population who cannot cope with standing on the edge of sheer drop.
I called it a day after my

experiences on the ridge. My presence was only holding up the team, and adding to the guide's problems. But I wish I could have completed the trek. We were just beginning to settle down into an easy amiability and a daily routine. It was staggeringly beautiful country. We drank from clear, cold streams, ate well every evening in camp and enjoyed the companionship that such conditions create.

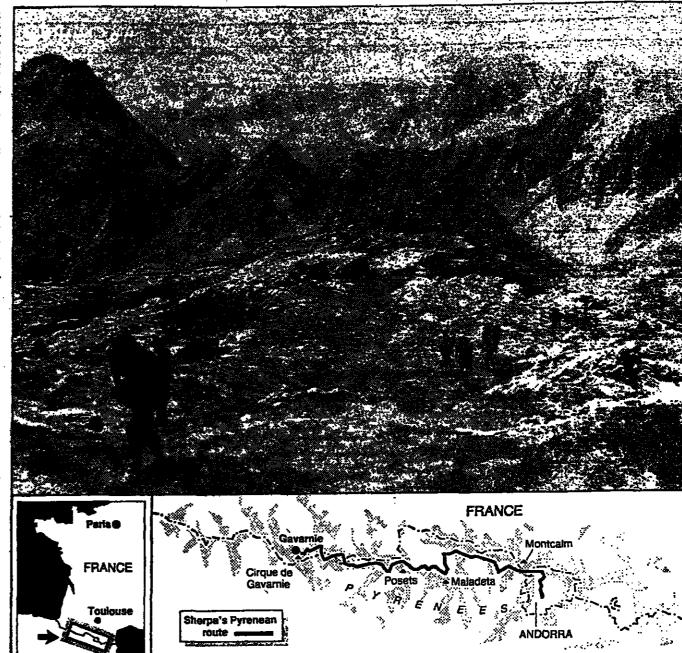
I watched the party leave camp with regret and not a little envy one fine July morning, heading for a seemingly impassable wall of rock on what was promised to be "an easy day". You find a lot out



Road, Hounslow, Middlesex (577 2717). This year a two-week High Pyrenees trek costs £325 inclusive of flights, meals, and transfers.

Pyranees High Level Route by G.

Vernon (West Col Productions, £7.50) covers this route. Maps



Stepping out and up: Route taken by the Sherpa trekkers. Above: Crossing the border between Spain and France

SPAIN

square miles, with a total population of about 2,500. The

most popular is Inishmore. The

Galway Bay ferry sails direct from

Cork to Kilronan, the capital, a

cluster of houses on a small hill,

with three pubs, a small res-taurant, fish and chip cum tea

shop and a few craft shops. The

more romantic-sounding Naomh

Eanna (Saint Eanna, the patron

saint of the Arans) which also

carries cargo, calls at the other

two islands. To go ashore you

have to transfer to curraghs, long

boats made of wood covered with

tarred canvas, in which the islanders have fished for hun-

dreds of years.

Most of the visitors to

Inishmore are day trippers, and as soon as the ferry pulls into the quay they see - and a picturesque

more directly to the magnificent stone fort of Dun Aengus on top

buttercups, daisies, dandelions, and yellow-flowered heather, with

rare plants in crevices and other

The drivers of these brown-

painted vehicles may be country-

men but they have a homely line in patter and a well-developed

entrepreneurial sense, being able

to turn a quick buck into two

a 265ft sheer cliff covered in

Geoffrey Watkins savours the desolate beauty of the Aran Islands

## Subtle harmonies of light and colour, solitude and stillness

trewn plateau on top of the cliff that could have been the graveyard of time. It was a scene of desolation, yet of cruel beauty, as the gulls shricked and wheeled and dived over the grey waters of

**SPAIN** 

It was a perfect setting for tragic Ireland's greatest dramatists had sat at the turn of the century, creating the imagery and the language that was to contribute so

John Millington Synge, scholar, musician, linguist and playwright, was a regular visitor to this island of Inishmaan, one of the three Aran Islands which lie 30 miles out into the Atlantic from the delightful town of Galway. The others are Inishmore, the largest, and Inisheer, the smallest; Inishmaan is in between. Here Synge is

a semi-circular structure about 3ft high, made of loose limestone - where he used to sit and muse and dream. His Riders to of the even more tragic days when the Sea is based on an incident on the great sailing ships crowded this island, and his most famous Western World, had its origin in a

story he heard on Inishmore. Yet the island, one feels, has not changed much in all those years. There is so much to remind one of pre-history: burial grounds where large parts of the islands are like huge mazes, the small fields enclosed by drystone walls about 4ft high where sheep and cattle may safely graze; early Christian stone forts, old churches and monastic sites, thatched and slatecovered cottages, and sturdy people speaking their own tongue, who are as close to the earth as a cow's hoof, and as attuned to the sea as a curragh's bottom.

In the low-ceilinged, small-windowed, semi-darkness of the thatched pub, the An Cora (the name means a chest for keeping valuables) in the village of Baile an Mhuir, you can drink creamy sight it is - a long line of ponies Guinness, slowly drawn, for a punt a pint, or a tot of Paddy, a tour of the island (about £6) or ount a tot. Here you can sit on a

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**Holong** a teast of it

when an American hoves by. They have their own small farms and when the visitors have gone home they return there to milk the cows or cut the hay. As most of the the visitors are young people they make for the buildings where bicycles can be hired for £2.50 a day, and these riders are to be seen all over the

> I think what charmed me most I think what charmed me most about Inishmore was the beautiful and subtle harmonics of light and colour: grey limeatone, lush grass and wild flowers that pattern the hedgerows, fields and hillsides. It is this delicacy of colouring you see everywhere, in the sky, sea and the blue-grey hills of Connemara over the water. Such tones could not be captured in oils tones could not be captured in oils but need the sensitive touch in

atercolours of a Cotman or a

The names of the wild flowers e a poem in themselves: Samphire, saxifrage, wild madder, spring gentian, bloody cranesbill, yebright, dogwood, squinancycycongni, angwood, squinancy-wort, bluegrass, red goosefoot, red broomrape, musk storksbill, white moon daisy, hart's tongue, lesser dodder var. Large fuschias grow wild and on the stone walls honeysuckle grows, while wild strawberries and wild orchids flourish in the rock crevices. There are few trees in Inishmore. but there is one clump of chestnuts in Kilronan that houses the noisiest colony of jackdaws I have ever heard. From sparrows to gannets, hooded crows and a kno that sings all day, the

the cemetery and monuments, 74- afternoon after eight hours year-old Pat McDonagh, tell you walking. I was weary, but the sight tales in Irish (which the barman of that blithe spirit with fluttering wings moving heavenward as if on an unvisible string, singing "in will translate) of the old days, and profuse strains of unpremeditated with their human cargoes left Connemara for the New World.

O'Flaherty, author of The Informer and many other novels and volumes of short stories, was born in a cottage at Gort na gCapail, a short walk from the beautiful curved bay of Kilmuryv with its white sands. He is still alive, I am glad to say, 87 years old and living in Dublin. After making my pilgrimage to the cottage I took the long stony upward path on my way back to Kilronan, and in that stillness and beauty shared it only with the birds, insects, bobbing young rabbits, wild flowers and - God.

At Bungowla at the end of the island one can look out to the little Earagh Island, which points the way to America - the next stop. There are no hotels on the island, only guest houses, where bed and breakfast is good value at

My favourite place for a drink was the thatched pub in Kilronan where you enter at the back and sit on a wooden settle or small chairs or on a kind of matttess thrown over metal barrels. Its stone floor and simple interior make it an ideal place for relaxing and this is where the rugged, soft spoken fishermen come. Bridie Daly, the charming, gentle, silver-haired landlady will make you feel at home. Bridie reminded me of that great Irish actress, Sara Allgood, and could have been a character in a Synge or O'Casey play herself.

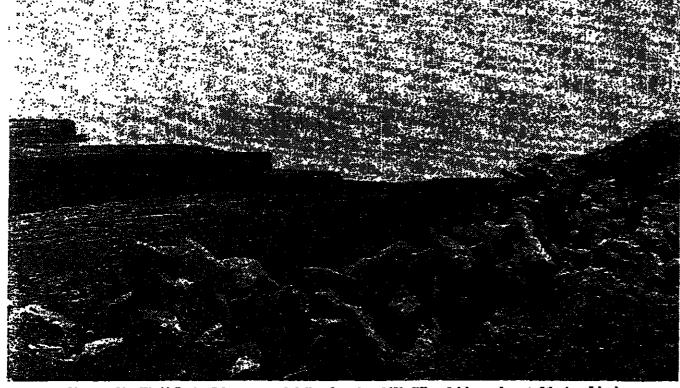
The Aran Islands, where the climate is mild, the rain soft and its sun strong in summer, owe their fame to Robert Flaherty, the American documentary film-maker who made Man of Aran in 1934. It was scripted by Pat Mullen, an Inishmore man who is buried on the island. Changes have come since - electricity, television, a small number of cars and motorcycles - but the islands are still unspoiled, places where one is made aware of history. drama and poetry, and where one still can find beauty and solitude.



How to get there:
By train from London (Paddington) to Cork via Pembroke Dock and B&I Terry, £41 return. Monthly returns to the Islands from Cork on the Galway and the Naomh Enna ferries cost £17.80. The voyage to inishmore takes three hours, slightly longer by the Naomh Enna which calls at the other two islands.

Bed and breakfast at the Imperial Hotel, Gaiway, costs £15. On the Islands the average rate for bed and breakfast is £6.50.

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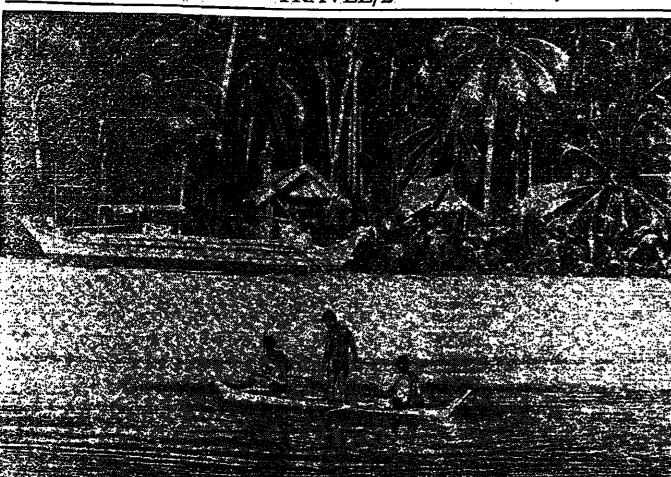
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Island in the sun: Palmy Palawan, 'land of beautiful safe harbour', offering a welcome retreat from big city hassle

## Paradise in a murderer's haunt

harder to find. For every deserted hideaway where you might happily be shipwrecked with your favourite gramophone records, there are numerous tourist spots with international airports and strobe-lit discos.

The island I found has diameter of less than half a mile and contains just one bamboo hut. It is looked after by a man who murdered a friend who double-crossed him 20 years ago, but that does nothing to diminish the place's charm. It is off the Philippines

province of Palawan, a long narrow island which runs down the west of the country, sufficientiv distant to have largely escaped the tourist boom. It now provides welcome retreat for those keen to get away from the noise and hassle of Manila. (I claim authority on these last two as someone who spent two nights in a Manila hotel room above a massage parlour).

The 55-minute flight to Palawan takes you across the fishing grounds which provide 80 per cent of Manila's fish supplies, and over the coconut trees and fields of wheat and rice which help to keep the province's economy alloat. There is practically no industry and the tiny airport of Puerto Princesa, the provincial capital, comes into view after a final low swing across the blue expanse of the Sulu Sea.

Information on Palawan is hard to come by. At Manila's excellent tourist office the staff could give me no leaflets, but finally managed to find their own file and let me have a look at that. At Puerto Princesa airport a friendly young official handed me stencilled sheets of miormation. Not entirely satisfied. I took a motor-tricycle - the only form of public transport

within the city, and cheap at a flat. lare of 6p - to the city hall. I was directed to a large office en the first floor, where clerks were working under the watchful eves of huge portraits of Ferdinand and Imelda Marcos. Below a slowly revolving ceiling fan, the same smiling official greeted me

as a friend. The best place to stay in Puerto Princesa is Yayen's Guest House, on a dusty lane lined with wooden houses and towering palm trees.

Richard Vines savours some

of the cheerful charm of

an island in the Philippines

Unaccountably, there is a large luxury hotel on the outskirts of town, but it does not seem very

Yayen's is a friendly place, where you can stay for £1 a night. There are more expensive rooms with bathrooms and airconditioning, but the power and water go off so frequently that thay are not worth the extra

The guest house organizes tours as cheap as travelling under your own steam, and steam is the operative word in a place where the March temperature is just under 100°F. I teamed up with three English girls from Yayen's (I had been assured that I was only their second English visitor) for a jeep and boat ride to the tiny private island of Polding.

We were carried in a small trimaran, the type used by local fishermen, and the boatman stopped on the way to let us go snorkelling near a coral reef, using equipment supplied free.

No visa is required for the

Philippines by British passport-holders for visits up to 21 days, as long as they have a ticket out. There are three distinct seasons:

London to Manila (one way) are Economy £843, Club £700, Apex: high season (until September and

December/January) £352 single,

£646 return; low season £317 single, £587 return. Bucket-shop

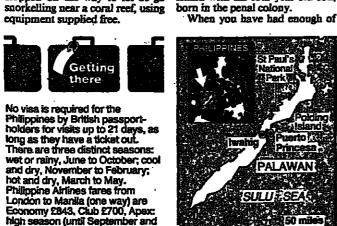
fares are around £400 .return.

Domestic air fares are extremely low. There are 10 flights a week

from Manila to Puerto Princesa, 227 single, 255 return. Half-price

ic fares are ava holders of Philippine Airlines

international tickets, making a round trip to Palawan £27.50.



on the beach or go snorkelling,

with nothing more to worry about

than mosquitoes and the odd

In the evening you can read beneath a paraffin lamp on the veranda of the lone hut, or watch

the light on the caretaker's boat as

he disappears into the black night

to catch fish for your dinner. The night's catch is served with salad

and plenty of beer from a cooler.

Afterwards, you can ask the

caretaker about the day he was

sentenced to execution, and the

20 years he spent in jail after his

reprieve. The last few years were in the Iwahig open penal colony near Puerto Princesa, where the

only other main tourist attraction

is a Vietnamese refugee camp.

The ex-prisoner now lives on the

island with his four-year-old son,

The Philippine Tourist Office is at 199 Piccadilly, London W1 (439 3481). Guest-house representatives in Puerto Princesa greet all flights from Manila, so it is not necessary to book accommodation in advance. It is not normally difficult to get a room not normally difficult to get a room

but the roads are poor - to the edge of the South China Sea. Here another trimaran is laid on to take you to the St Paul's Subterranean National Park, where there is one of the world's longest under A short stay on the island is ground rivers. extremely relaxing. There is no running water or electricity, and The Encyclopaedia Britannica in the daytime all you can do is lie

says there are 56 species of bat in the Philippines, and it seems that most of them are to be seen along the cavernous underground waterway. We were the only people to sail there that day, and it is remarkable that such a spectacular attraction should still

take you right across Palawan - it is not much more than 20 miles.

Afterwards a barbecue of fish, chicken and pork served with rice, salad and mango was provided. By this time we had been joined by three Philippine Airline hostesses enjoying a weekend off.

in the nineteenth century Palawan was known to Chinese traders as Pa-lao-yu, meaning land of beautiful safe harbour. The Spanish changed the name to Paragua (Spanish for umbrella), because its shape resembles that of a closed umbrella. There are altogether 1,796 islands which make up Palawan, and at 265 miles long it is the country's largest province. Geologically and logically, it is said to be more similar to Borneo than the rest of the Philippines. Its wildlife includes rare species such as the great sea turtle, the peacock pheasant, mouse deer, purple heron, white parrot, flying squirrel and scaly ant-eater.

Oil has been discovered, and I was assured that Palawan was about to take off economically and as a tourist area. There is no much evidence of this yet, though the guide notes to Puerto Princess refer to the "throbbing sights and sounds of the disco places downtown".

On the last night of my stay we all joined a party when an Italian couple in the guest house cooked spaghetti. One of them was writing a book on the Philippines in which he intended to make special mention of Palawan's

Unless you have a particula love of spaghetti, it might be a good idea to get to Puerto Princesa before his readers do.

#### COLLECTING

## Lighting up a little bit of history

ATLANTIC DRILLING

"BENDORAN"

the US forces. From then on the

Zippo bore the history of the United States, writ small.

vast and ever-growing range, as

On this side of the Atlantic the

British armed forces have taken

enthusiastically to Zippos. Every

ship in the Royal Navy, most

army units and 50 per cent of

RAF squadrons have customized

Zippos. According to Margaret

Benady of W.A. Ingram Associ-

ates, 36 Hertford Street, London

WI. Zippo's UK agents, this

reflects world-wide distribution.

more organizations order

batches of at least fifty.

Far from the scented salous of Sotheby's and Christid's are the pubs and clubs and smoke-filled rooms which are the world of the Zippo lighter. Where men are men, collectors swap stories and lighters. Zippo lighters have stopped bullets and saved lives. They have thawed out locks and ht cigarettes in some of the most hostile environments on earth. In 1932 at the Country Club in

Bradford, Pennsylvania, George G. Blaisdell met a friend. The man was lighting a cigarette with an imported lighter. It was clumsy, with a removable brass When Blaisdell asked his friend why he didn't get a smarter lighter, he was told: "It works". Blaisdell was so impressed with this reply that when he started his own lighter company he issued a sweeping guarantee - it works.

To this day any Zippo lighter regardless of age, returned to Bradford, Pennsylvania, will be repaired and despatched within 48 hours, absolutely free. Zippos mutilated beyond repair are replaced and the originals kept in The great advantage of the

Zippo lighter was its hinged windproof hood. The 1932 model was square-cornered and made from rectangular brass tubing. Top and bottom pieces were soldered to form the lid and base of the case. The hinge was on the outside. In 1933 diagonal lines, mildly Art Deco, were engraved at the corners and the following year the lighter was shortened by one quarter of an inch. 1935 saw a giant leap in the

form of the introduction of advertising slogans, and in the following year the hinge was placed inside the now engineturned case, so that only the hinge barrel showed. A range of Zippos with sporting motifs was also produced that year. In 1937 came the brass drawn case with rounded top and bottom, formed as a whole.

Due to shortages of brass and chrome during the war, in 1943 cases were made of porous steel and painted with black crackle

Two's company: Zippos adopted by businesses keen to cash in on their mystique finish. The entire output went to health checks. The Zippo company is conscious that smoking is on the decline, and is diversifying into crested gift items such as pocket knives.

Unoffically GIs and sailors would scratch the names of places However, lighters with logos and ships into the black surface. At the factory, the Moon Landing, proliferate in and around Aberdeen, as oil-related industries Bicentennial, and Space Shuttle order them as gifts and for were mile-stones marked on advertising. The country with the lighters. The stars and stripes ereatest concentration of Zippo cover one Zippo, and names and lighters per square mile is now symbols equally American like Coca-Cola and Mickey Mouse said to be the Falkland Islands. decorate other models. There is a

The age of a Zippo lighter can be found by looking at the inscription on the base. Full details of the code are in The Collector's Guide published by the Zippo company in Bradford Pennsylvania. The following is a rough guide: (1932-36) Patent pending; 2032695; (1937-49) Patent (1950-56) Patent 2517191; (1957) full stamp with patent pending (1958) full stamp with no patent pending; (1959-65) a series of dots - 4 being oldest, most recent; (1966-73) vertical Navies lead and air forces lag. strokes, 4 oldest, 1 most recent; perhaps because of pilots' regular (1974-81) "forehand" strokes (//)

4 oldest etc. (1982-89) "backhand" strokes ( \\ ) 4 oldest etc. Lighters are not kept as an investment nor as a hedge against inflation. People who collect them do so for sheer enjoyment. A typical collection, that of Milton McLachlan, started with a gift from Hollywood - a Zippo with a picture of a movie camera on it. Across the bar of his pub. The Across the oar of his but, the Auld Hoose, in North Berwick, he started buying Zippos, military, commercial and sou-venir, from customers.

Soon he was swapping and asking people going abroad, especially to America, to buy them for him: he might pay anything up to £10 for one. Zippos for which Milton has made unsuccessful offers have sometimes turned out to have once belonged to a fallen comrade of the owner.

Zippo lighters do work, but much of their mystique is summed up by Margaret Benady

Anne Cowan

## **EATING OUT**

## What a jolly tasteless wheeze

As children go back to school, we venture out in an attempt to recapture the flavour of the good old days in the dining room

SCHOOL DINNERS The Barracuda, 1 Baker Street, London W1 (486 2724) Open: noon-3pm, Mon-Fri only. (£5 membership, 48 hours in advance)

A couple of years ago somebody had the bright idea of opening up The Barracuda night club at lunchtimes and serving facsimile school dinners, complete with St Trinian's waitresses and greeters in gowns and mortar-boards. After an initial flourish it became apparent to the owners that their (male) customers were showing greater nostalgia for the girls in their gymslips than they were for jam roly-poly and custard.

Accordingly, the menu shifted several degrees up-market while the costumes were allowed to slide several degrees down. The result is a well-appointed, highclass international restaurant staffed by a throng of young ladies in skimpy school uniforms and suspenders.

Of course it's all supposed to be a "laugh" in the way The Benny Hill Show is supposed to be a "laugh", and if you think the latter exploits women or rejoices in sniggering innuendo and fetishism, you'll probably react similarly to School Dinners. Personally, I find them both humourless and demeaning ex-periences, but one is top of the television ratings and the other is about to open another branch so somebody must like them.

Other "laughs" available at Dinners include the "caning" of diners who step out of line, having an exotic dessert called a "knee-trembler" spoon-fed to you by a waitress sitting in your lap (for 10 guineas!), and being charged £2.95 for paté, £7.85 for a mixed grill and £6.25 for a bottle of table

Some of the original venture's spirit is retained by the blackhoard selections - watercress soup (£1.60), roast pork (£4.95), mince has to be said that the food is of a high standard But the personal introduction

to your waitress seems mainly designed to keep your glasses cover charge (on top of already exorbitant prices) can only be explained by the need to repair several threadbare patches in the incidentally, customers may

have their photographs taken with the waitresses for £5, though my guess is that most would prefer to pay £5 'not to have their photo

THE OLD ETONIAN 38 High Street, Harrow-on-the-Hill, Middlesex (422 8482) Open: noon-2.30pm (except Sat)

and 7pm-11pm daily The idea of siting a restaurant called The Old Etonian in the shadow of Harrow School must have sounded a provocative

The creative genius behind-School Dinners could have had a ball here - bun-fights, mud-wres-tling, fag-flogging, the possibilities

disappointing to report that the Old Etonian is little more than an atmospheric neighbourhood bistro, enhanced by its village setting, but with few "school" connexions. It may be that the menu is based on traditional lycée dinners of course, but one imagines that a beef fondue for two at £14 is beyond the reach of even the most aristocratic élève.

would have been endless. So it is

Elsewhere, the menu meanders through more familiar, reasonably priced territory, with grilled fillets laced with Dijon mustard, trout stuffed with bananas and almonds (£4.85) and ballotine de poussin (spring chicken, stuffed with mushrooms and chestnuts, £4.85). The old-fashioned style of such dishes is confirmed by the appearance of the accompanying vegetables on the same plate, and the cooking is solid rather than

Hors d'oeuvres include chef's soup (cream of vegetables, £1.35) served from a tureen, and baked aubergine, filled and glazed with meat, onions, pepper and cheese (£1.95). The menu's desserts may offer crème brûlée or assiette de trois sorbets, but you are more likely to be directed to the trolley where rather spongy mousses await consumption.

The gloomy interior and the robustness of the food probably render the Old Etonian a good winter venue, when the closely packed tables won't be so oppressive and when the distant sodium lights of the A41 will be shrouded in for.

Stan Hey | Jopling.

#### Water sports: Rigging up to break the record

Continued from page 1 which a boom is attached, and it

sails equally as well backwards as forwards. The kite lines are attached to the movable boom, and its position is altered by means of winches, so changing the boat's centre of gravity and therefore its direction, and obviating the need for a rudder or Stewart has tried out new

designs every year. "It has taken a long time for people to accept the kite yacht", he said. "It was OK while it didn't do 100 well, but last year they realized I could represent a serious threat. This year I am fully prepared." This is Downhill's first year of

involved in speed sailing for some time. His catamaran Icarus II. which has taken over from the Grogonos, is wider than it is long - 35ft by 27ft with two sailing rigs. Downhill is hopeful. "I have repaired and reinforced the boat and added superb hydrofoils", he said. "I'm going to Portland Bay with the intention of breaking the world record. That's the whole idea isn't it?

1983 Speed Weeks: Sept 27-Oct 2. Brest, France; Oct 10-16, Portland Bay; Nov 1-6, Veerse Meer, near Veere, Holland.

Speed sailing craft can also be seen in action at Cowshott Activities Centre, Cowshott Spitt, Hampshire (0703 892077),

For further information

Royal Yachting Association, Victoria Way, Woking, Surrey (048 62 5022), John Reed or Carol

## Keeping quiet about those white cliffs

If you respond to the romantic appeal of history, the most stirring stretch of coast in Britain must be the line of Kent and East Sussex that runs along the southeast tip of England. The placenames roll off the tongue: North Foreland, Walmer, Dover Castle, Cinque Ports, Dungeness, Dymchurch, Hastings, Pevensey, Celts, Romans, Angles and Saxons, Vikings and Normans all landed hereabouts. Napoleon and Hitler considered it.
Successful twentieth-century

landings have been friendly. A granite outline in the grass marks. Eleriot's 1909 touchdown. Channel swimmers flounder ashore at St Margaret's Bay. Kipling cherished this part. No

writer better conjures up the echoes of past events than Kipling in his "Puck's Song", in which each verse rolls back the story from Trafalgar to the Armada to the Conquest and pre-Roman

See you our stilly woods of oak And the dread ditch beside? Oh that was where the Saxons

On the day that Harold died. Marvellous stuff.

Unfortunately memory, not being selective, also recalls the terrible song the young Vera Lynn used to sing, with a lyric about the white cliffs of Dover, and the bluebirds that would resume flights over, once the Nazis were otherthrown.

In clear weather you can pick out 20 to 30 ships at any one time passing through the narrow strait. The houses of Calais stand out. Through the captured U-boat binoculars on the terrace of the Granville Hotel you can tell the time from C dais Town Hall

The day I was there I had to imagine that glittering scene. Everywhere else England lay under a clear, burning sky, but in the Channel there was fog. Every 30 seconds the foghorn on the hands of any lout with a portable South Goodwin sent a nasal bray out of that wall of wet, grey wool. Sometimes the deep throp of the car ferries passed, and the matter of creating the right atmosphere. "If there is noise



subdued growling roar of the hovercraft The Granville is the first hotel in England (there is one at Skelmorlie on the Firth of Clyde) to be joined to the Relais du Silence, a chain of 200 European hotels very much to my taste. It guarantees no traffic, no taped music, no bedroom radios, no amenities that no hotel of class would have thought of mention-

now that the means of annoying

Cliffs of Dover: Celebrated in song and verse, coveted by despots

already, people will add to it. If there isn't, they'll hesitate. We screwed the off-on switches in the bedroom wirelesses permanently off. We got rid of the aviary because the peacocks made such a row. We moved the television into its own room." The situation helps: the road only goes to the hotel, and the four acres of garden look on to a majestic panorama of cliff and channel and oak trees that commands respect. ing not so long ago, but precious

St Margaret's Bay is a quick and easily driven 80 miles from London. A double room at the Granville with bath costs £22.50. everyone within carshot are in the Dinner is £5.75, but fell some distance below the standard set by the view and the ambience. The



We drank with it a bottle of Staple St James Huxelrebe 1980 from Kent vineyards, described in the wine list as strong and pungent. Otherwise the meal was hardly what the lady called "haughty cuisine". The mayonnaise was bottled, the bread was served in limp, white triangles.

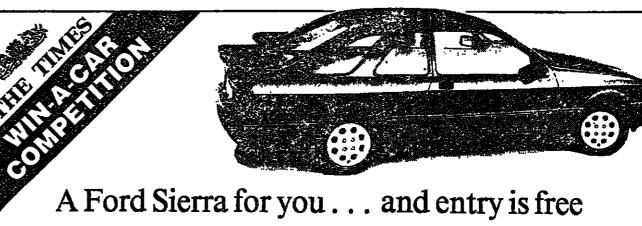
Of course hotels cannot easily provide seasonal vegetables, since the local workforce, who for generations found kitchen employment in such simple tasks as shelling peas, have been unionized. But is it not strange that after a thousand years of travellers passing into England from France. French cooking has had so little influence on the ordinary British hotel kitchen? At breakfast I was amazed to be served eggs that had been poached hard in one of those pans that turn out a sort of egg bun. Yet they were served with a flourish.
"How come?" I asked the

plained. "They know that's how I like them". As Eric Morecambe would say, there's no answer to

patron's wife. "Ah", she ex-



The Granville Hotel, St Margaret's Bay, Dover, Kent (0304 852212). For further details of the Relais du Silence association, write to Team House, Church Street, Wye, Ashford, Kent (0233 819161).



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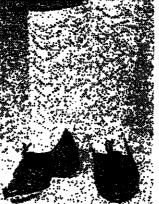


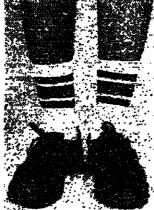
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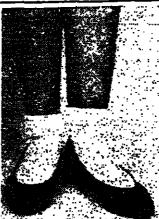
Trainer-styled lace-ups for girls in leather with synthetic soles in white with bright green and yellow trim only or blue, sizes 11 infants to 7 adults 11.50. Goldstar by Clarks at Peter Jones, SW1, are suitable for its sporty styling.







Leather lace-ups for boys have Leather



court with simulated teather ince-ups for boys have stacked low beel and sytheatic soles, and come in black, navy, soles in blue, brown, black or grey, burgundy or grey, sizes 11 to 6½ sizes 2 to 7 in half sizes £14.99 to £15.99 to £19.99. Ace by Clarks at Peter Lord, 178 Oxford Street, Peter Lord, 178 Oxford Street W1 stacked low heel and sytheatic soles in blue, brown, black or grey,



Leather Chukkas with rubber soles in blue sizes 7 to 10½ D. E. and F fittings £13.50, red 11 to 5½ E, chestnut or blue 11 to 9 adult E or F. £16.50 to £25.50 at Peter Jones, Sloane Square, SW1. A very comfortable casual.

## Fitting time to put the squeeze on the shoe shops

Top-to-ankle health is the number one cult of the eighties, but that is where the obsession stops – just short of the toes. Even six-year-olds are now being allowed to demand trendy shoes, and many parents who still insist on fit before fashion have no guarantee that their children's feet will be and the Branded Retailers (Clarks

properly measured.

The standard of fitting throughout the country is simply not good enough, according to the Foot Health Council. Seven in ten schoolchildren, it says, risk dis-orders later in life because of badly fitting shoes. Three out of In an exercise conducted in the four adults have foot problems at county of Cleveland earlier this some time, and more than one year, a five-year-old boy was million people over 65 have NHS fitted for shoes at six retailers and chiropody treatment every year.

attributed to sloppy or restrictive only three pairs of shoes were shoes, but Mr John Fixsen, adequately fitted, and one of these Great Ormond Street children's soon be unsuitable. hospital feels that ill-fitting shoes

Six pairs were to can contribute to existing deform-

cause deformity, but I am somewhat doubtful. Certainly they can highlight problems, but hallux valgus – deformity of the big toe - is as common in those who don't wear shoes as in those

badly fitting shoes cause symp-toms and highlight deformity. It would be difficult to show that they make an otherwise normal foot abnormal."

But to be on the safe side, what are shoe retailers doing about the problem? Very little.

The organization which represents a large proportion of the trade is the Footwear Distributors' Federation (FDF) and its attitude appears to be entirely negative. It has a voluntary code of practice established with the Office of Fair Trading (OFT), in 1976. It seems entirely satisfied that the existence of such a code is enough - on the grounds that it is A foot gauge is just the considerably more than a lot of other retail associations offer.

A foot gauge is just the starting point for the fitter, who needs to fit more than just length

It seems quite unimpressed and width. There are no standard with the suggestion that the lasts, so the child may need evidence of the Foot Health different sizes in different makes.

Council indicates that the code taught from literature supplied by might not be working entirely the company. Of the eight satisfactorily.

The federation is comprised of four associations – the Multiple

and K Shoes, for instance, Members display a symbol indicating that they honour the code, which includes recommendations on staff training, aithough it does not mention training in shoe fitting.

fitted for shoes at six retailers and Minimal. The OFT are not taking a four-year-old girl at another four any action. They "accept the Not all the problems can be retailers. A chiropodist found that had no growth room and would

"For years people have be-lieved that badly fitting shoes cause deformity have too short. All 10 shops had so-called "trained" fitters, but these the width, and three pairs were included one fitter who was self- OFI, agreed to "see if there was

five supplied totally unsuitable fittings. Two pairs of the Shoe Retailers, the Independent "adequately fitted" shoes were Footwear Retailers, the In-Stock supplied by FDF members, one Footwear Suppliers (wholesalers) by a non-member.

The report, by the County Trading Standards Officer, Gordon Gresty, recommended that the code of practice should be made compulsory, that gauges should be standardized, and that there should be a recognized standard of training for shoe-fitters.

The report was considered by

the OFT and the FDF. Results? Cleveland report but with reservations, as it only involved 10 shops and only two children were fitted". They will eventually be oon be unsuitable. considering suggestions to make Six pairs were too tight across all voluntary codes of trade practice a statutory duty, but this is still "at the ideas stage".

The FDF, according to the

improve fitting among their members". The FDF's version is less precise.

"We didn't come to any we didn't come to any conclusions", Mr Gordon Mac-william Kain, the Federation's secretary, says. "We said we would report back. There are a lot of problems in the fitting of children's fromwear including the children's footwear, including the fact that children are looking for fashion footwear and the fact that in some retail outlets the stock range can't meet the requirements of the children who come in."

To the untutored ear this sounds very much as if the inability to invest in a range of styles and fittings gives carte blanche to the retailer to fit the child with what is on the shelves, rather than with what is needed. This conclusion is almost

unavoidable if you consider a letter written to Mr Gresty by an employee of a multiple shoe retailer, who agreed with his conclusions but had been "instructed to shift the shoes as

quickly as possible because the profit margin was so low. This letter was not written anonymously but the writer must remain so for obvious reasons. Equally obviously, the implication does not involve the many responsible shoe retailers who do take great trouble to fit shoes.

Now the Cleveland report may

have been too small to prove a national point, and it admitted as much, But it did suggest that it had "highlighted a number of problem areas that merit consideration by the shoe industry". From the letter quoted it is clear that the size of the sample is immaterial. If only one sector of the shoe industry can be so commercially pressurized that damage to children's feet is of secondary importance, there is something very seriously amiss.

So what can responsible parents do to ensure that their children's feet are allowed to grow without deformities? And how do they reconcile that need with the children's insistence on fashion? Their first piece of equipment

Health Register, which lists 700 approved shops throughout the country. (The three successes in the Cleveland report were all on the register).

The chairman of the register.

Alan Mickel, who is an independent retailer, believes that train-ing in fitting is of vital import-ance. Specialist shops like his own in Clarkston Toll, Strathclyde and like Peter Jones in London - the largest children's shoe department in the country - exceed any suggested standards and therefore have no fear of a compulsory code of practice. They do acknowledge, however, that "policing" a code is difficult, and that sending staff on fitting courses is expensive for a small retailer. However, all the shops listed

on the register have signed an agreement to stock children's shoes in whole and half sizes, from infant size 4½ to children's size 6, and to have staff who are properly trained to measure children's feet. The register is available from the administrator.

London EC2 (please enclose As to fashion, the children's

manufacturers have been kicked out of their sensible-shoe image by the ubiquitous "trainer". If all boys and many girls had their way, they would never wear anything else. Clarks was the first to recognize the rise of the trainer, and has produced trainers in allleather, and in leather and fabric,

in four width fittings.

The other great success story for Clarks is the low-heeled court shoe which the Princess of Wales has made essential wear for all small girls. "For once the fashionable height suits children," Peter Jones say with relief. Most court shoes will not stay

on the foot unless the toes touch the end of the shoe - a fact which for years stopped Clarks from producing anything for children without a buckle or bar. It has now developed a last which allows for growth and yet holds the foot firmly, pleasing both the junior Sloane-Rangers and their mothers.

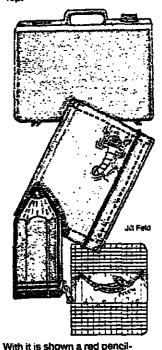
Start-Rite, too, has spent five years adding a fashion element to its reputation for fit and quality. Like Clarks, it now does five width fittings (a G fitting has been introduced because feet are becoming wider - further evidence that children's growing bones need to be protected from being squashed). Their latest styles, Jan for girls and Glen for boys, have a distinct trainer influence.

Russell & Bromley have one Chelsea branch which stocks children's shoes and another 20 throughout the country, which are all mentioned in the Children's Foot Health Register. Several styles have been designed exclusively for them and show the fashion influence for which their adult shoes are well-known. That, after all, is the challenge that retailers have to face - you can be as do-gooding as you like, but if you don't sell shoes that children will wear, you will be out of business. It is just as well that some retailers are responsible enough to make the fashion fit the

SHOPFRONT Book worm

The worm has turned at W. H. Smith. They have been re-vamping their stationery image, and among the back-to-school bonanza of brilliant stripes and splashes they have included a distinctly cheeky

The character appears on document folders, notebooks, exercise books - green on shiny red or on red and white checks and should encourage a great deal of industrious note-taking among those children who are allowed a little individuality at school. The folder illustrated is £1.50, notebook



shaped case containing felt tips. crayons, a stencil set and other writing accessories for £3.99. The plastic briefcase, also at £3.99. which is available in yellow, blue, grey or lime. The whole set has lots of high-tech accessories to coordinate - bulldog clips, scissors, maths sets, drawing pins, and pencils which can be initialted to Order.

Even if schooldays are not the best days of your life, at least now they

### Footwear for children points to remember

"I think it is safer to say that addy fitting shoes cause sympoms and highlight deformity. It rould be difficult to show that first Foot Health Week with a without pressure to buy. Giant Foot Race across London by
Chiropody students. Pairs of
competitors will race inside 8ft
long polystyrene models of feet - a
sort of heavy-footed version of a
puberty. Parents can check foot

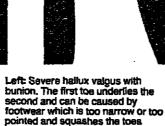
first salvo in a long-term educational drive to improve the state of the nation's feet. Here are some of the points you should bear in mind when choosing shoes for

The week, sponsored by companies including Clarks, Scholl, Start-rite and Wolsey socks, is the first salvo in a look to the shoes. If the total the imprint in the shoes. If the total the imprint in the shoes. If the total the imprint in the shoes. marks are too near the end of the shoe the fitting should be checked • The same shoe should not be used every day, but as most parents are unlikely to buy several pairs when they will need to be replaced within a few months, the plastic shoes or synthetic canvas done by incorrect fittings.



perspiration can cause a form of

Too-wide fittings are almost as bad as those too narrow. Cramping the toes can contribute to deformities of the bones; allowing alternative is to make sure they the foot to slop about can cause are left in airy conditions toe-bruising, blistering, friction at overnight to allow moisture to the heel. The diagrams show evaporate. The argument against some of the damage that can be



Centre: Hallus flexus. The toe is plantor flexed, or bent down owards the sole - an advanced form of hallux rigidus where there is no, or only limited, movement of the first metatarso phalangeal joint. Caused by continual stubbing of

Hard to propagate

Some plants look untidy when not

specially sited in the garden as they are susceptible to early morning

sun after the cold of the night, so remember to protect them from the

east and keep them in deep rich

As they can be quite tall, tree

from the front of the border, but in

full sum. Planting can start during

March but the tree peconia is tuberous-rooted and does not always transplant well. The follage is very attractive, so ensure that it

When growth starts in the spring make sure the plants do not dry out. Tree paeonias produce tall, rangy stems, and I prefer to see the

growth at the ends of these shoots above other plants. The stems rarely grow straight, but are inclined to grow out of shape and have a twisted appearance. Once

established they need little or no attention. If a stem grows too much away from the plant it can be

Plants will cost between 27 and

removed in the spring as soon as growth can be seen.

£10 each, but shop around as

September and continue until

is seen above or around its

protection in the border.

paeonias should be sited away

in flower. The tree pasonias are such plants. They need to be

Shapely shooters



the second hyperflexed. There is often a corn over the prominent first inter-phalangeal joint due to pressure of footwear. Caused by the wearing of short or narrow Diagrams based on A Guide to

Shoe Fitting by the Shoe and Allied Trades Research Association.

This has been a good year for raspberries. The size of berry was possibly smaller than some years

but the size of the crop has not

been surpassed. I was able to water mine and I am sure this has

made all the difference between success and fallure. It has also

quality of cane produced for next

It is now time to prepare the rows for next year. First remove

the fruiting canes, which are easy to distinguish, as the new canes

secateurs, remove the canes at, or just above, ground level. The less

you leave the better as this does not allow much stem for die-back to

are fresh, clean and only have leaves. Using a good pair of

Once the ground has been

cleared, it is easy to see the quality of the new canes which should be

clean, strong and straight. As a rule they will have to be thinned. Select

the best and strongest to the into the cross-wires, allowing about 6in

between canes. Thin, weak or diseased canes should be cut out.

Autumn fruiters are coming into their own now. These have fruited

on wood made during the current season, as opposed to the usual respherry, which fruits on wood made the previous season and

should be pruned in the spring.

made all the difference to the

year's crop.

**Bumper berries** 

## Enjoy the last of the summer whites

Perhaps it was my schooldays that sufficient quantities of a good instilled in me a feeling that the inexpensive autumnal red. matilled in me a feeling that the inexpensive autumnal red. My new year begins in September. It choice will be an 11.5° vin de table is an illusion I still have, and it that I happened across earlier this certainly holds true in the wine world, for the first of those 1983 wine fairs at Olympia that almost grapes will be harvested this always turn out to be a complete

Vintage prospects for 1983 throughout most of Europe are looking good, despite a wet spring, and the very hot weather in July and August could well make this year a stunner. England's winemakers, after our notiest summer for three centuries, are looking forward in particular to a bumper crop but, as always, a lot can happen

between now and the end of the month. Just because it's September there is no need to switch immediately to big full-bodied reds; even if we do not have an Indian summer, the continued consumption of white wines is a good way of pretending that we do. But the last of the white summer wines need to be big and bold enough to cope with cool evenings and cheap enough not to upset those fraught post-holiday

finances still further. An inexpensive wine that has been my house white ever since I first tasted it five years ago in Portugal is Bucellas Velho. Made from the Arinto and Esganação grapes, and aged in oak, it comes from the old cobbled cellars of the sleepy little town of Bucelas, just to the north of Lisbon. With its bright golden colour and rich, smoky bouquet backed up with a befly, buttery oaky taste, I reckon this wine is Portugal's answer to white burgundy (Oddbins £2.45, Peter Dominic £2.59).

Italy is always a good source of big, bold whites but to find wines that have finesse as well as flavour is notoriously difficult, so I was particularly surprised earlier this year to taste an Italian this year to taste an Italian Chardonnay that had class, style and weight. What's more, it was the first Chardonnay from this country I had tasted that had any real varietal character. This '80 Chardonnay delle Venezie, boutlad by Enoficial country from the control of the con tled by Enofrithia, comes from taly's cooler, north-eastern Friu-lialy's cooler, north-eastern Friu-hi-Venezia Giulia region, right on the border with Yugoslavia. The region's beneficial climate no doubt contributes greatly to the elegance of this classic Chardonnay with its rich, oaky character. (Henry Townsend, Chalk Pit House, Coleshill, Amersham, Buckinghamshire, £3.70.)

With the first misty autumn days rapidly approaching, every household needs to lay in

year at one of those vast food and waste of time. For once this wasn't, and the deep purple rich. fruity La Cuvee des Gaulois, from the Méridionale cooperative in the Gard, is a winner. Don't be put off by its name; this wellmade blend, produced principally from the Grenache and Carignan grapes but rounded off with a little Cinsaut and Syrah, is delightfully easy to drink (Adnams, Sole Bay Brewery, South-Wold, Suffolk, £2.65).

The Midi, a vast wine-producing region bordering the French Mediterranean coast from Nice to Perpignan, has gradually been improving its quality over the years. Its vignerons have been encouraged to cut down their



yields, to plant better grape varieties and to improve their fermentation techniques. The Minervois wines, from an area just north of Perpignan that straddles the Aude and L'Hérault departements, are mostly a good example of what the Midi can now produce and Sainsbury's stock a tasty Minervois magnum the '80 Château de Gourgazaud for just £4.99,

Another pleasant entertaining wine is the Viña Linderos Cabernet Sauvignon, a Chilean Cabernet Sauvignon that has been available in this country for some time. Earlier this year a new vintage was released, the 79 (Cullens, £3.50). This Chilean red is made by the Ortiz family Linderos, some 25 miles south of Santiago in the Maipo river valley, and with its deep purple colour and full, fruity, grassy character it also makes a good

Jane MacQuitty

## IN THE GARDEN

favourites: I like the old and true

variety Pink Pearl, and a new

variety, Apollo, which is slightly

deeper but a good new

tried is White Colosseum, which

flowers about the same time as

L'Innocence but is not so ivory in

colour. This leaves the yellows, of

which only two varieties really

interest me: City of Haarlem,

here. Bedding forms can be found

introduction.

## Spring colour, with a little forethought

is time to think about colour for next spring. Bedding plants are still providing some colour but it will not be long before they need changing, and unless plans are made now you might have nothing in the spring. The mainstay of spring bedding is spring-flowering bulbs, which can be planted on their own or used in conjuction with other spring-flowering plants. There is a wealth of variety to choose from and it is possible to have colour from when the crocus flowers right through to the late tulips in May.

Crocuses in flower are the first real sign that winter is almost at an end. Although not really suitable for bedding, they are suitable for massed planting in selected sites near the house, in a border or in a rock garden. Species of erocus worth planting include the fragrant C biflorus which has a white flower with purple stripes. C Tomasinianus,



planted in crocus planters for

Hyacinths are the Rolls-Rovees of the spring bedders. They are with its rich bluey-violet bloom, easy to grow, last well and have flowers just later than biflorus in one of the finest scents in the March. C minimus, very short at garden. There are a number of about I in, has a mixture of violet, forms but I find I get more from buff and purple flowers. C Sieberi the Dutch byacinths than from is a February flowerer and has the Romans or the doubles. mauve petals which are yellow at Flowering times differ slightly but the base and C ancyrensis, the as a rule are from April to early

numerous varieties, and among Delft Blue and King of the Blues, the best is the form Vanguard, which is a deep rich blue. Among

#### often called the Hoop Petticoat with light blue flowers, which is the reds are Jan Bos, near to ideal for the garden or can be crimson, while Amsterdam is because of the formation of the flowers, only 6in tall and ideal for an alpine meadow. N triandrus usually flowers in April and lasts Special Offer of French Asparagus

asparagus plants actually growing in pots, The advantage of July/September planted



each way, the beds being divided by paths. then up, and the crop is turnessed by susp-ping off the shoots at ground feed. Ex-perimental Horicultural Station have shown that this method produces earlier crops and the closer planting has given a much higher yield.

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Which is a light blue, the lighter

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more of a cerise red, and Lord until about mid-May. It is a Balfour a wine red. Pinks are also lovely plant, whose form albus is known as Angels' Tears. The jonquils, all scented, grow Sin to 10in tall, and love to be in

grass with a little shade. Baby Moon is yellow, Sugarbush is white and Susy, the last of the Of the whites I prefer, L'Innocence, but Carnegie comes jonquils to flower, is a rich yellow.

Tulips are the brightest of the Tulips are the brightest of the spring bulbs, and if the right varieties are selected they can be in flower from early spring to late May. Most gardeners prefer the single and double earlies as well as the cottage and Darwin types, but there are many intermediates which are increasing in popu-

which is very light, and Yellowhammer, which is deeper larity, such as the Darwin hybrids. The narcissus family is large T Kaufmanniana, the Waterlily and complex, but trumpet daf-fodils remain favourites, and Tulip, has large flowers with a wide range of colour which open there is much to choose from out when exposed to the sun. Fosteriana is dwarf like from a number of classes, and T Kaufmanniana, but has bigger flowers. Both flower in April. those which never disappoint are Magnificence, Golden Harvest, T Greigii has much to recommend it; this hybrid has mottled leaves and large, brightly Dutch Master and Goldcourt, all vellow. Mount Hood and Beercoloured flowers. All the tulips sheba are white and very good. In Division Two reliable yellows include Carlton, Armada, Fortune above have many varieties, so take a look at what is available

and Galway. Other colours are before buying.
The Lady Tulip, or T Clusiana, found in Fermoy, Green Island, Ice Follies and Polindra. is a good naturalizer which Narcissus cyclamineus are small plants ideal for a rock flowers in April. Its blooms are white with a yellow centre and the garden. Larger hybrids include outsides of the petals are striped cherry-red T praestans is eye-catching, with multiflowered Peeping Tom and February Gold... In March comes N bulbicodium, orange-scarlet blooms. The form Fusilier is rich scarlet and one of the best. My final choice is T Eichleri, 12in tall with an unusual, almost cup-shaped scarlet bloom with a vellow centre. Prices vary but unless you go for a new variety they are all

Ashley Stephenson prices vary.

House in 1954 with the intention of making a garden, and then developing a nursery where people could buy the plants they enjoyed in the informal

The house is a large Georgian red-brick building set on the highest part of the four-acre garden. It was once the site of a castle with a most on one side which now serves as a bog area, while the River Teme flanks the grounds to the south and west and running water. Aquatics and bog specimens thrive here in the created streams and rivulets which tumble down to the Teme. Throughout the garden plant-ing is luxuriant and varied, and

there seems no besitation in leaving areas of the rich, red-

Reward for the Treasure-hunter John Treasure acquired Burford brown soil exposed so that plants can be seen to best advantage. Late summer can still produce

flowers which are saturated with colour, and many of these are wonderfully set off at Burford House against a variety of leaf shape. Limonium latifolium "Violette". a large grey-leaf plant, is currently a mass of trembling violet flowers. Dahlias are out in force, with the dusky stems of "Bishop of Llandaff" topped by a dazzling array of red flowers. grounds to the south and west and Japanese anemones - so useful provides the constant sound of this time of year - come in cool pale tones, while the handsome. South African shrub Melianthus major is still lush and green, and will remain so well into the winter when the frost will cut it down.

Clematis are John Treasure's

speciality and they can be found

"Jubilee" runs with abandon, and C coerulea odorata tumbles its small purple flowers over Senecio. Other plants to look for are Lobelia "Cherry Ripe", Verbena Bonariensis, Diascia rigescens, Perovskia atriplicifolia, the most dazzling iridescent blue Gentiana asclepiadea and Erigeron mucronatus, which foams over steps near the house, and will do so well

into November

Ripening raspherries:

gardeners around who are only too willing to answer queries. Michael Young

All plants are clearly labelled, a

lesson other gardens would do well to learn, and there are always

Burford House Garden is west of Tenbury Wells, Warwickshire, on the A456. Open until October 9, 2-5pm daily. Admission 95p.

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Big Maybelle The OKeh Sessions (Epic EG 78456, two records) The Jackie Wilson Story (Epic EG 38623, two records) Lost Soul (Epic 22153, two The Chi-Lites Greatest Hits (Epic

The news of James Jamerson's death a couple of weeks ago added a note of poignancy to something I've been thinking about for weeks: 20 years ago this summer

soul music was born. As far as some of us were concerned, the birth took place in snatches on the radio and whispered back-of-the-class conversations in which the names of Mary Wells, the Impressions, Marvin Gaye, Solomon Burke, the Miracles, Barbara Lewis, Major Lance and Martha and the Vandellas were first circulated.

Jamerson whose bass guitar inggered the rhythms of the golden age of Motown, is nowhere to be heard on Lost Soul, a marathon two-disc compilation of soul singles which slipped between cup and lip in the period from 1961 to 1978. But his spirit, and those of his llow instrumentalists the

Chicago drummer Al Duncan, Memphis guitarist Steve Cropper, brilliant Motown songwriters and producers Smokey Robinson, William Stevenson and the Holland-Dozier team, lurk behind every cry and inside every groove. What they created is with us still: indeed it has never sounded more moving or necessary than in this processed, packaged, calculating

we shall return to Lost Soul. but first it is worth travelling chronologically through the repart, a series which tells us much about the gestation, maturity and subsequent problems of soul music.

in the 1950s the streams of rhythm and blues, gospel and pop were converging, and the ill-fated Mabel Smith, "Big Maybelle", was one of the points of tentative confluence. At that time the first requirement of a singer was natural talent, which Maybelle possessed in abundance. Discovered during her mid-teens singing at the Rock Temple Church of God in Christ, in her home town of Jackson, Tennessee, she was the template of such subsequent heroines as Martha Reeves and Patti Labelle.

At 300lb, she had the vocal power to accompany a ripe humour which made her a notable interpreter of the slightly risque blues songs still popular with the black audience of the

carty 1950s. The OKch Sessions collate material from the years of her prime, 1952-55. It does not include her very best recording, the exquisitely beautiful "Candy". which was recorded in 1956 and collected a few years ago in Savoy's The Roots of Rock 'n' Rall (SJL 2221). But it does locate the period during which, whatdisastrous personal life, all her talents merged to reveal a performer of timeless gifts.

These sides are also worth hearing for the fresh, relaxed 1957, recording a series of songs arrangements meticulously crepartly written by Berry Gordy Jr. arrangements meticulously created by Leroy Kirkland with the assistance of such outstanding musicians as tenor saxophonist Sam "The Man" Taylor, guitarist Mickey Baker and drummer Panama Francis.



Seminal singers of the 1950s: "Big Maybelle" Smith and Jackie Wilson

Good singers were still a the tension between emotional prerequisite in the late 1950s, and gospel-style singing and pop-song by common consent Jackie formula is still one or two steps Wilson was the best: virtually every important soul singer of the subsequent generation freely acknowledges a debt to a stylist and arrangers: at times, as in the who, in his time, outshone even ballads "Night" and "Danny Clyde McPhatter and Sam Cooke. Boy", They seemed to want to Those who came to black popular music in the 1960s, however, Rossano Brazzi. have always had difficulty in recognizing Wilson's eminence, since the men who controlled his recording career consistently place him in what now seem unflattering settings. Everyone who saw him galvanize a Harlem audience at the Apollo Theatre has another story to tell, and there is enough evidence between the lines of The Jackie Wilson Story to support their most extravagant

Wilson began his solo career in who was serving his apprentice ship before going on to found the Motown empire. "Reet Petite", "Lonely Teardrops" and other

away from a full realization. Wilson was constricted by the limited vision of his producers turn him into a singing black

The penny dropped only in the late 1960s, and then no more than tentatively, "Higher and Higher" (1967) remains a fleet-footed classic of what we in Britain know as Northern Soul, and the anthology ends with the fine
"You've Got Me Walking",
written for Wilson by the Chi-Eugene Record. The ultimate impression is of vast talent in the right place at the right time with the wrong people.

During the 1960s the soul field became so crowded that many of its practitioners were out of luck. So dense was the activity that one of the great pleasures of being a soul collector is the constant unearthing of previously unproducts of this liaison are known recordings which match rehearsals for Gordy's formula: the quality of the established

classics. Lost Soul is the result of one of the more thorough exercises in soul archaeology, piecing together 40 separate discoveries. Although not one of them was a hit in any significant sense, together they provide a rounded picture of the resources of this extraordinary rich field. In its heyday soul developed two basic artitudes. The industrial

cities of the north and mid-west. notably Philadelphia, Detroit and Chicago, opted for a synthesis of elaborate arrangements. It showed an emphatic fondness for following successful song formulas – often to the brink of
mulas – often to the brink of
memorably desolate ballads
formering Funene Record's feath-

Examples of its fall-out can be heard on Lost Soul in Brends and the Tabulations' charming "One Girl Too Late" - and two gorgeous mid-1970s tracks; the emotional "Sweet Fools", and the "Relax, It's Just Lke sensual Dancing" by an obscure group called Essence. Directly from the Motown legacy comes Brian Holland's "I'm So Glad", recorded in 1974 after his departure from Gordy's employ. It contains such musical artistry and dancefloor impact that one can only vonder at the reasons for its

In the southern states the residue of the blues ensured that the music was less exotic in its imagination, and earthier in its tone. Motown's equivalent was the Stax label headquartered in Memphis, where the singers sounded harsher and less prev to the fantasies of escapism. Where Motown and the northerners set the pattern for the upward mobility of disco in the 1970s and were easily able to cope with its subsequent demands, the muscians and singers of Tennessee and Alabama represented the final gasp, groan and shout of the music which had originally bound them all together.

There are many superb examples of southern soul in this anthology, paramount among them Jackie Moore's subtle insithem Jackie Moore's subtle, inst-nuating "Personally", Gwen McRae's terse reworking of Bobby Bland's "Ain't Nothing You Can Do", Bill Coday's aggressive "I'm Back to Collect", and a pair - "This Time They Tald the Truth" and "Love is So and a pair - This Time They
Told the Truth" and "Love is So
Good When You're Stealing It" by the massively authoritative Z.
Z. Hill. Admirers of "deep soul",
the sub-genre which magnifies the most outrageous stylistic excesses of church singing, will revel in Mattie Moultrie's "That's How Strong My Love Is", and "The Saddest Story Ever Told", which I find artifically overwrought.

There are also rewarding examples of anomalies, of confounded geographical and stylistic expectations. The Vibrations's "Love in Them There Hills"finds Kenny Gamble and Leon Huff, those arch-exponents of Philadelphia sophistication, genuflecting in the direction of Memphis, the Chairmen of the Board's "Finders Keepers" incorporates a streetfunk keyboard riff and trombone solo which appears to use the technique of multiphonics.

The least easily classifiable soul singer of all, Bobby Womack, appears on three occasions, each time underlining his utter resist-ance to formulas. "A Little Bit Salty" and "Home is Where the Heart Is" are excellent examples of his mid-1970s solo work, in which acknowledgment of trends took a back seat to the requirements of the singer and the song, while "Stop Before We Start", a tragic dialogue with the under-rated Candi Staton, is perfectly illustrative of soul music at its most adult and redemptive.

The latest release in the Epic

immediately before the arrival of disco; and presents a selection of the best work of one of the most Chicago, opted for a synthesis of successful vocal groups of the pop and gospel which traded in early 1970s. This was the time when Philadelphia ruled the roost showed an emphatic fondness for with the O'lays and the Stylistics. But the Chi-Lites upheld Chicaerweight falsetto, the best remembered of which is probably "Have You Seen Her?" The up-tempo songs, based on Norman Whitfield's adventurous work with the Temptations, has worn badly. But "Oh Girl", "A Lonely Man" and, particularly, "Homely Girl" retain every ounce of their fragile

Richard Williams

## Well I woke up this morning, put another

The Beach Boys asked us 13 years ago to "add some music to your day". That band, still the epitome of good-time sunshine pop, is currently back in the charts with another greatest hits package. These may reflect a period of safe tradition but there's nothing much new around to tamper with Brian Wilson's eternal holiday visions. Indeed, the albums on review here are mostly tinged with nostalgia too.

record on...

British pop music seems to be vaiting for a different impetus, a change in the wind, while American pop is desperately struggling to catch up with our boys. No matter - the following six albums are designed to offset the working day. They are to be taken externally over a 24-hour cycle.

James Booker on Classified ounds like a man who does not on to bed, so his music is a perfect way to start the day. Booker's ornate New Orleans piano mixes the expected second-line strut of the Crescent City with a liberal dose of classical phrasing (on "Swedish Rhapsody") and gloriously restructured ragtime (on Three Keys").

He pays homage to rhythmnd-blues roots with some well judged covers of Roy "Professor Longhair" Byrd, Lloyd Price, Lieber, Stoller and Fats Domino, and then has the cheek to confuse the listener by rewriting Roger Miller's "King of the Road". His own title track may be too florid for purist tastes. Even Allen Toussaint would balk at some of Booker's borrowings, but Classified will get you humming through breakfast.

Depeche Mode, from Basildon. Essex, are obviously boys who enjoy elevenses. Their music on Construction Time Again is wide awake. They have written nine songs that would grace the chart and they have also managed to find the clusive warm button on their synthesizers.

I did not expect Depeche Mode's main lyricist, Martin Gore, to have had so much blood n him but everything from "Told You So" - which paraphrases "Jerusalem" - to "Two-Minute Warning" suggests that they are as



Affectionate parodies of himself: Neil Young

Nooby Clark



Disorientating humour: Cabaret Voltaire

James Booker: Classified (Demon I cannot remember any of FIEND 7)
Depecte Mode: Construction Time Young's recent albums, perhaps Again (Mute Stumm 3) Virginia Astley: From Gardens Where We Feel Secure (Rough because they haven't been depressing enough, but now he is wearing his heart on his sleeve he Trade 58) Cabaret Voltaire: The Crackdown sounds a lot better. Everybody's Rockin' is the best album of its kind since John Fogerty's solo (Some Bizzare CV 1)
Neil Young: Everybody's Rockin'
(Geffen 25590)
J. J. Cale: 8 (Phonogram Merl 22) excursions after Creedence Clear-

keen to inform as to entertain. Their third album. Construction Time Again is music to dance

over the debris to, until lun-

Virginia Asiley, former Ravish-ing Beauty, has been through a refined finishing school and come

out unscathed. Her record From Gardens Where We Feel Secure is

a delightful collection of instru-

mental rural ambiences. Astley

and her producer, Russell Webb,

have managed to outdo Eno without trying particularly hard. Each number revolves around an

evocative drawing-room piano piece underpinned by a specific

pastoral effect recorded in Moul-slord, Oxfordshire. There's even a

song called "Hiding In The Ha-

Ha". The overall impression is intensely sad, I think, rather like

an aural equivalent of Proust's

Virginia Astley leads us gently past teatime to the cocktail hour

and some thing more substantial.

Cabaret Voltaire, Stephen Mal-linder and Richard A. Kirk, have

valiantly resisted the rock press's

desire to make them flavour of

The Cabs, as they are known,

Yourself)" and the irresistible

The main problem with The Cruckdown is its smooth and

funk of "Just Fascination".

madeleine

(Soft Cell's label).

water Revival. This bold statement is given substance by the Sun studio effects. Tim Drummond's upright slap bass and Young's own careering guitar. The acid test of this mineral is on the band's version of "Mystery Train", one of the greatest 1950s songs. Young cannot match Elvis Presley but he comes close enough. His own tunes, such as "Payola Blues", "Kinda Fonda Wanda" and "Jellyroll Man", fit neatly into the overall scheme, witty without being too irreverent.

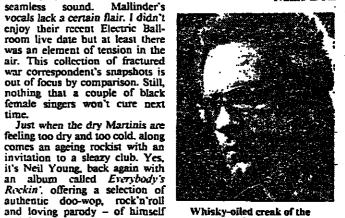
Exhausted by the goings-on at the hop, we return home after midnight. What better person to share the small hours with than J. J. Cale?

Calc's eighth album in 13 years. proves again that this Okie is a master of minimalism. Everything on his record has the creak of a haromock on the porch; it is oiled by bourbon and swung by one of the accommodating women that Cale's croaking wheeze of a voice seems to attract.

This man is a great stylist, a guitar genius who easily outplays his most devoted fans. Eric Clapton, Mark Knopfler and Richard Thompson (he guests the month on The Crackdown, here). Cale may not attempt to their first album for Some Bizarre surprise but he is not prepared to the Cabs, as they are known, peers of the late-1970s bliss are some hard hitting Sheffield matia that produced country protest songs. "Unem-Human League. ABC and Heaven ployment". "People Lie" and 17. They most resemble the latter "Trouble In The City".

J. J. Cale should worry - he is in that they have opted for a J. J. Cale should worry - he is combination platter of Euro-electronics and rhythmic American rock, a real man in a land of funk. They have set a few treacherous low-lifes. Besides, standards of their own with the anyone who has the audacity to disorientating humour of "Why rhyme Colorado with enchiladas Kill Time (When You Can Kill deserves our sympathy. His deserves our sympathy. His "Teardrops In My Tequila" takes us to bed, tired but satisfied.

Max Bell



Whisky-oiled creak of the hammock: J. J. Cale

Exhibition of more than 50 pieces of glasswork reflecting the advent

of the day-tank furnace which has enabled artists to take free-hand

Hereford and Worcester Admission free

#### **PREVIEW** Theatre

## Stark spotlight put on crime

returning happily to the theatre

after two years' television acting

(he plays Jung in the future BBC2

Yuri Lynbimov is the Soviet terrorizing of the audience, but we Union's most acclaimed stage want a way of involving them director, so it is something of an properly," Pennington says. He is event that his adaptation of Dostoevsky's Crime and Punishment which has played in repertory to packed houses at repertory to packed houses at series on Sigmund Frend). After Moscow's Taganka Theatre for six weeks on a diet of Ryvita and five years, opens at the Lyric, grapefreit, he looks ethereally Hammersmith on Wednesday, thin Hunger, he explains, was a This, the first production Lyubi-strong motive for Raskolnikov's mov has directed in Western Europe, will be a translated version with a cast of British actors. Michael Pennington plays Raskolnikov and Bill Paterson is

the police chief, Porfiry. To fit the mood of the play, the Lyric's gilded proscenium arch has been shrouded with black. The audience will enter by one door, to be confronted with the scene of the murder and their own reflections in a mirror. "We are not going in for that awful

CHARLEY'S AUNT Aldwych (836 6404) Until Sept 24, Mon-Fri at 7-30pm, Sat at 5pm and 8.30pm; matines Wed at 2.30pm Griff Rhys Jones makes one of the best "aunts" ever in a joyous production with an exce supporting cast.

DAISY PULLS IT OFF Globe (437 1592) Mon-Sat at 8pm; matinées Wed at 3pm, Sat at 5pm Denise Deegan's straight-faced recreation of a 1920s girls' school all prize poems, hockey matches and Empire-building values - sends the world of Angela Brazil straight up and over the top. Thoroughly unsubtle, nostalgic and

HAPPY FAMILY Duke of York's (836 5122) Mon-Thurs at 8pm, Fri and Sat at 5.45pm and 8.30pm Giles Cooper's clever, disturbing 1960s comedy about three grow up siblings imprisoned in childhood ritual is still theatrically gripping and full of psychological and political nuance. Excellent direction by Maria Aitken of an impressive cast led by Ian Oglivy and Angela

MR CINDERS Fortune (836 2238) Mon-Fri at 8pm, Sat at 5.30pm and 8.45pm; matines Thurs at 3pm Packed with enchanting songs and boasting a witty performance by Denis Lawson of acrobatic brilliance, Vivian Ellis's 1929 musical recasts Cinderella in the anyone-for-tennis age. Modest staging (originally at the King's

Lyubimov's interpretation of monly accepted Soviet view of the

Dostoevsky contradicts, the comcentral character as an heroic figure. Russian schoolchildren write essays excusing the murder of one exploitative old moneylender for the common good and believe Raskolnikov's only crime was getting caught. Lyubimov used the murder as a starting point for a debate on the criminal personality and the nature of

crime itself. His production's dreamlike quality is reflected in the music and lighting, which ranges from stark spotlights to overall darkness.

The Taxanka Theatre has met difficulties with the Soviet authorities: a non-musical version of Boris Godonuv had to be abandoned after objections by the official scrutineers. But usually their displeasure is express through economic means. It is fascinating the way Lyubimov is able to create theatre magic out of nothing," Pennington says. "For an independent adventurer like him, he has learnt to produce material out of the air and a result, his company has become the most popular in Moscow."

Clare Colvin Crime and Punishment opens at the Lyric Theatre (741 2311) on Wed.



Independent adventure: Yuri Lyubimov - Creates theatre magic out of nothing

### Critics' choice

Head); but the production's speed and sparkle make it an intoxicating

NOISES OFF Savoy (836 8888) Mon-Fri at 7.45pm, Sat at 5pm and 8.30pm; matinée Wed at 3pm The furniest farce for years.
Michael Frayn's brilliantly contrived
complex of on-stage disasters and backstage dramas is still keeping houses full and audiences helples with laughter.

A PATRIOT FOR ME Haymarket (930 9832) Mon-Sat at 7.30pm; matinée Sat at 2.30pm John Osborne's epic about an officer in the Austro-Hungarian army, fighting his way through society to a top espionage job only to be blackmailed as a homosexual, comes up full of drama, colour and subtlety in Ronald Eyre's revival transferred

THE RIVALS Olivier (928 2252) Thurs and Fri at 7.15pm, in repertory with Guys and Dolls (today at 2 and 7.15pm) and Tales from Hollywood (Mon-Wed at 7.15pm; matinée Wed at 2pm) Peter Wood's sparking revival of Sharidan fulfills the promise of its cast list. Geraldine McEwan as a young but hilariously affected Mrs Malaprop, Sir Michael Hordern gouty and irascible, Patrick Ryecart as a witty hero and Tim Curry.

Cottesioe (928 2252) Fri at 7.30pm. In repertory with The Fawn and The Beggar's Opera Revival of Peter Gill's evocation of

childhood in working-class Cardiff. Assembled from countless WOZA ALBERT! Criterion (930 3216) Mon-Fri at 8.30pm, Sat at 5.30pm

and 8.30pm Black South Africa's cry from the heart. Virtuosos in multiple partdoubling and storytelling on a bare stage, Percy Mtwa and Mbongeni Ngema enact the often funny, finally heartbreaking consequences of Christ's choice of Botha's Johannesburg for his second coming: adoption as white propaganda figure, arrest as a Communist aditator, and resurrection on the third day with

Albert Luthuli and Steve Biko.

YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU Lytteiton (928 2252) Today and Tues at 3 and 7.45pm; Mon at 7.45pm. In repertory with Inner Voices (Wed-Fri at 7.45pm) Once again the National strikes gold in America, this time with Kaulman and Hart's endearing 1936 comedy about a family of happy eccentrics. Jimmy Jewell as the genial, drop-out grandpa, Geraldine McEwan as dotty, authoress mother, Gaye Brown as alcoholic actress and Margaret Courtenay as a Russian grandea turned waitress combine in a gloriously furny, subversive hymn

to independence.

### Out of Town

at 2.30 and 7,30pm. In repertory Omar Sharif leads in revival of 1953 Christoper Blake, Joanna Hole, Deborah Watting, Jeremy Sinden in a touring revival of Rattigen's romantic fantasy. Peter Coa directs.

Fazan.
Love from a Stranger by Agatha
Christie, adapted by Frank
Vosper. Sept 5 to Sept 10. Mon-Fri
at 7.30pm; Sat at 5 and 8pm;
matinée Wed at 2.30pm. and Fri at 7.30pm. In repertory Patrick Garland directs this CROYDON: Ashcroft (688 9291).

BOURNEMOUTH: Pavilion (0202 25861/296911), Hi-di-Hil by David Croft and Jimmy Perfin. Until Sept 24, Mon-Sat at 6.10pm and 8.40pm DUBLIN: Abbey Theatre (0001 744505). The Moon in the Yellow A long and busy summer season for Simon Cadell, Paul Shane, Ruth Madoc, Jeffrey Holland and guest star Ben Warriss, in the first stage production of the BBC holiday

BRISTOL: Theatre Royal, Old Vic (0272 24388). The Browning /ersion by Terence Rattican/Black Comedy by Pete Rattigan/Black Comedy by Peter Shaffer. Until Sept 24. Mon-Wed at 7.15pm; Thurs-Set at 7.45pm Paul Eddington heads the casts of Paul Eddington heads the casts of both productions; the first is about

BIRMINGHAM: Alexandra (021 643

1231). French Without Tears by Terence Rattigen. Last performances today at 5 and 8pm.

comedy, directed by Eleanor

Derren Nesbitt and Sandra Payne

in an early Christie piece, adapted

by an actor who himself died

Ingenious comedy set on a blacked-out" stage. CHICHESTER: Festival Theatre (0243 78:1312). The Steeping Prince by Terence Rattigan, Today at 2.30pm; Wed at 7.30pm; Thurs

a "well-made play" about a schoolteacher, the second an

As You Like It. Today, Mon, Tues

production set in eighteenth-century France. Patricia Hodge as Rosalind, Jonathon Morris as

Nightcap by Francis Durbridge. Sept 5-Sept 17. Mon-Fri at 7.45pm; Sat at 5pm and 8.15pm; matinee Wed at 2.30pm Durbridge's latest thriller stars Nyree Dawn Porter, Jack Hedley, Barbara Murray and Derek Waring.

River by Denis Johnston, Until Sept 10, Mon-Sat at 8pm Production of the 1931 play sometimes called "an Irish Charry Orchard" and compared with Ray McAnally, Godfrey Quigley, Desmond Cave; directed by Tomas MacAnna.

EXETER: Northcott (0392 54853). Perchance to Dream by Ivor Novello. Until Sept 10, Mon-Sat at Spm; matinées Wed and Sat at

A major revival of Novello's romantic play with music (including "We'll Gather Lilacs"), Lewis Flander, Rebecca Calne, Allson Frazer, Merisi Dickinson head the cast, doubling many characters. Directed by Stewart Trotter.

GLASGOW: Theatre Royal (041 331 1234). Jamie the Saxt by Robert McLelan. Sept 5-24 (in repertory with Mscbeth). Sept 5, 7, 8 and 10 at 7.15pm Scottish Theatre Company on tour with two major plays. Tom Fleming directs a company including Ron Bain, Gerda Stevenson, Mark McManus.

**GUILDFORD: Yvonne Arnaud** (0483 60191). A Little Bit on the Side by Victoria Wood, Pinter, Alan Melville, et al. Until Sept 24. Mon-Fri at 7.45pm; Set at 5pm and 8pm; matines Thurs at 2.30pm Beryi Reid, Jan Waters, Janet Mahoney, Philip York etc. in a premiere run for a musical comedy revue destined for the West End. Directed by William Chappell.

STRATFORD: Royal Shakespears (0789 295623). Henry VIII. Today, Mon and Fri at 7.30pm Howard Davies directs Richard Griffiths, John Thaw, Gemma Jones, Sarah Berger, in a play last seen at Stratford in 1969. Julius Caesar. Thurs at 1.30pm. Peter McEnery, Joseph O'Conor, David Schofield, Errrys James; directed by Ron Daniels. Twelfth Night. Tues and Thurs at

Daniel Massey, Emrys James, John Thaw, Gemma Jones, Zoë Wanamaker, Richard O'Callaghan; Directed by John Caird, Comedy of Errors, Today at 1.30pm; Wed at 7.30pm Adrian Noble directs a new production with Peter McEnery and Paul Greenwood as the Antipholus

#### **PREVIEW** Galleries

ARTISTS OF THE TUDOR COURT Victoria and Albert Museum, Cromwell Road, London SW7 (589 6371). Until Nov 6, Mon-Thurs and Sat 10am-5.15pm, Sun 2.30pm-5.15pm It is many years since a major

exhibition of classic English portrait miniatures took place in London, and meanwhile there have been many changes of critical emph and a lot of new scholarship; also. the history and iconography of the Tudor portrait are one of V & A director Sir Roy Strong's specialities. So the present show is both timely and a labour of love. The famous figures such as Hilliard and Oliver, are present in force, but the show has its discoveries as Levina Teerlinc, who would seem to have taught Hilliard.

RUGS AND THROWS British Crafts Centre, 43 Earlham Street, Covent Garden, London WC2 (836 6993). Tues-Fri, 10am-5.30pm (until 7pm on Thurs); Sat Exhibition by weavers to demonstrate that a floor covering

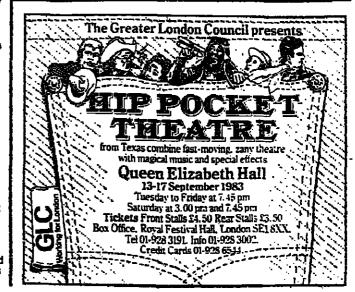
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father, prepared under Coppola's

guidance from the cinema films.

It is in four parts (Mon, Tues, Thurs and Fri at 9.25pm) and

runs altogether for more than

The main change for television

was to tell the story of the

Corleone family over 60 years in

chronological order, which should make what was sometimes a

confusing narrative easier to follow. That means that the

arrival of the eight-year-old Vito

Corleone in New York from Strily

at the turn of the century becomes

As well as reshuffling the sequence of events, Coppola shot

recreating parts they had first played three years before. God-

father experts will, no doubt, be

able to spot the new footage, but it

has been so smoothly integrated

The original film, based on

Mario Puzo's novel, appeared in

1972 and not only became one of

the year's biggest commercial successes but won three Oscars, including best film and best actor

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PREVIEW Films

## Very American model of a modern G & S

whether white men could sing the blues. Now, perhaps we should debate whether the Americans, and American rock stars in particular, can sing Gilbert and

The Pirates of Penzance, opening in Lendon a tardy two ears after its production at Shepperton, gives a clue. Pirates was conceived at a time when Hollywood was obsessed with the iden that the antics of buccaneers would be the next big theme to hit the cinema business. Half of the promised pirate movies failed to be made or were beached on the shores of the American box office, which may explain the late arrival of the present offering in Britsin.

Gilbert and Sullivan's rather slight tale of Cornish ne'er-dowells was revived by Joseph Papp in a New York Shakespeare Festival production in Central Park in July 1980, and proved the surprise Broadway hit of the season. The principal cast mem-bers of that production, Kevin Kline as the Pirate King, the rock star Linda Ronstadt in the role of Mabel, and Rex Smith as a rather wet Frederic, return in the film, with Angela Lambury playing Frederic's nursemaid Ruth.

The possibilities of playing around with Gilbert and Sullivan have been explored before, notably with the 1970s London production of the Black Mikado, which put a distinctly soulful shout on the doings of the Chinese court. Papp's stage production veered away from most obvious modern variations, a policy he has

Critics' choice

Re-release of the 1959 Academy Award-winner for the best foreign film, directed by Marcel Camus. Set against the background of the Rio Carnival, it follows the demise of a black tram driver who kills his cirlfriend by mistake.

DIAL M FOR MURDER (PG) ICA Cinema, The Mail (\$30 \$547) until Sept 7 (closed Mont). Seen without the original 3D effects, Alfred Hitchcock's 1954 film of Frederick Knott's coelly conventional thriller is a fusty piece of cinema. The 30 version (never before released in Britain) transforms the film into an absorbing, audacious gaine with objects, people and space. Ray Milland plays the tennis pro with murderous intentions towards his wife (Grace Kelly). Also featured: a pair of scissors, various latchkeys and, of course, a telephone.

FANNY AND ALEXANDER (15) Coronet Notting HB (727 6705) Ingmar Bergman's amazing evocation of life, joys and terrors, staged with exceptional opulance, beauty and lightness of touch. Traditional Bergman themes are defity woven into the mixed fortunes of a Swedish family living early in the century. Masterful,

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THE KING OF COMEDY (PG) Cinecents, Panton Street (930 0631)

A comedy only on the surface.
Deep down, Martin Scoreese's
striking film offers a bleak, low-key
examination of desperate people
trapped in fantasies. Jerry Lewis

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writers and performers plays a one-off and plays it solo. But be

heard Hiatt with Ry Cooder will

know that this concert will sell out fast. Histi is promoting his new album on Getten, Riding With The

King, but should also be mixing in

erica's premier white

Rocking the boat: Kevin Kline, Angela Lansbury and Rex Smith in the Pirates of Penzance maintained for the film. Like the Piracy may have failed to fulfil show, it may still prove a little too pop for purists. G & S has rarely been heard through an echo its promise as a movie genre, but Papp's production is an interestrapp's production is an interesting part of another revival, that in Gilbert and Sullivan themselves. A new production of HMS Pinafore surfaced on television chamber before, though on one occasion - when the heroic Frederic strikes a pose which is pure Presley - the effect is not Pinafore surfaced on television last Tuesday, courtesy of Brent Walker, the British company which has a further 11 Gübert and Sufficient and

The New York production was a turning point for Roustadt's career, establishing her as a serious musical actress. Her Sullivan productions completed or under way.
George Walker, the executive producer of the series, has his eye singing, which Leach insists was not dubbed - valike that of some other members of the cast on the American market too Vincent Price, Joel Grey, and William Conrad are among the matches the quality of the rest of the company throughout. But the role did little for Kline, who had to cast members, though such British stalwarts as Frankie wait for Sophie's Choice, in which he starred opposite Meryl Streep, for a degree of international Alfred Marks also take leading roles. Toesday's showing of Pinafore is the only British

showing of the series agreed so

far. Enthusiastic Gilbert and Sullivan facs can buy other parts of the series on video, however - 2 the film it turns up in Part II. medium which one suspects the irascible Gilbert would have detested. At least the American new scenes, which gave several of accents on display in Papp's his actors, including Robert De production would not have Niro, Robert Duvall and Lee bothered him. The Pirates of Strasberg, the difficult job of Penzance had its premiere in New York on December 30, 1879, to ensure an American copyright; the British had to make do with an opening night at the 70-seat Royal has been so smoothly into Bijon Theatre, Torquay and wait a that the joins hardly show. further three months for a London

David Hewson The Pirates of Penzance opens at the Classic Shaftesbury Avenue, London (734 5414) on Thurs.

Oshima's cool, penetrating version of Sir Laurens van der Post's novel The Seed and the Sower, with David Bowie and Tom Conti as POWs in Java. Bowle's bizarre presence and Oshima's quizzical response to British and Japanese culture combine to create a weird cinematic limbo, where the real action lies inside the characters. With Takeshi and Ryuichi Sakamoto, who is also composer of the seductive music. (A season

OCTOPUSSY (15) Classic Chelses (352 5096) Empire Leicester Square (437 1234) Odeon Ken point by selling a billion tickets. Although it is hard nowadays to stay ahead of real-life technology Bond's flying jeeps, fountain-pen lasers, and other toys are still the

products of strip-cartoon magic.

Leicester Square Theatre (930 5252)

Films on TV

three hours of Francis Ford Coppola's The Godfather and performance as the patriarch, then its even longer sequel, that this sage of Mana folk would with his puffed checks and wheezing voice). make a splendid series for the Hardly had it reached the cinemas than a sequel was announced, and The Godjather small screen: rivalling, perhaps, that other celebrated study of a family's struggle for wealth and Part II duly came out in 1974. Though straining at times to There is a chance to test this keep up the momentum, it proved proposition next week, when no less popular than the original and was even more successful at

> best film. The "Godfathers" can be read as gangster films in the direct tradition of Scarface and The

significant differences. For one thing, they take no moral stand, as the earlier gangster movies did, and do not feel it necessary to have their heroes gunned down in the last reel.

Coppola's films marks them off John Cazale. from the often frenetic narrative drive of their more modestly budgeted predecessors; even the fact that they were shot in colour instead of black and white gives them a different look and feel. the Oscar ceremony, where it took There are affinities, 100, with other Hollywood genres, notably the epic and the melodrama. six awards. Again, it was voted

In the Coppola canon the Godfather films may stand



Mafia Dalles: Marion Brando and Talia Shire in the first Godfather

his considerable skill at building and sustaining sequences and his facility with actors. There are many good performances, and if Brando does teeter into caricature, one can still savour the craft Again, the leisurely pace of of De Niro, Al Pacino and the late

Peter Waymark

Also recommended: Sing as We Go (1934): Splendid Gracie Fields vehicle, with script by J. B. Priestley (BBC2, today, 3.10-

Close Encounters of the Third Kind (1978): Steven Spielberg's science fiction classic, with magnificent special effects, in a "special edition" with new sequences (all ITV regions, today, 7.20-9.45pm). Ace in the Hole (1951): Kirk Douglas as the cynical newspaperman in Billy Wilder's brillant indictment of gutter journalism (Channel 4, today, 11.10pm-1.10am).
Last Picture Show (1971): Peter
Bogdanovich's affectionate study
of adolescence in small-town

America in the early 1950s (BBC2, tomorrow, 10.10pm-12.10am). Comes a Horseman (1978): Jane Fonda, James Caan and Jason Robards in an unusual and underrated Western, set as late as 1945 and directed by Alan J. Pakula (all ITV regions, Wed, 10.30pm-12.40am). The Diary of a Chambermald (1964): The Bunuel season continues with his characteristic rendering of the Mirbeau novel; Jeanne Moreau stars (BBC2, Fri, 9-10.35pm). Freaks (1932) and L'Age d'Or

(1930): Horror classic and early surrealist piece by Buñuel make up the first offering in a new Channel 4 season of films that fell foul of the censor (Fri, 11.15pm-1.45am).

BLACK ORPHEUS (PG) Barbican, Cinema One (626 8795) until Sept 21 loving performances.

LE JOUR SE LEVE (15) Academy 3, Oxford Street (437 8819) Jean Gabin as a besieged

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gives a remarkable, sour performance as a TV star kidnapped by an ambitious fan; Robert de Niro and newcomer Sandra Bernhard are hardly less

THE LEOPARD (PG)
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0220/727 5750) When Visconti's film adaptation of Giuseppe di Lampedusa's Sicilian novel was released in 1963, he wrote a letter to The Times disclaiming it, saying the colour of the print, the extra cutting and the voices for the dubbing were not his choice. Now comes his approved version: a new print, his own cuts to make the film 186 minutes long, and sub-titles to the Italian. It stars Burt Lancaster, Claudia Cardinale MERRY CHRISTMAS MR

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Odeon Marble Arch (723 201 1/2) The Bond films have proved their

of Oshima's films is running at the

National Film Theatre until

remains the same, as does the casting of Bond (a now more cautiously dashing Roger Moore), Miss Moneypenny (Lois Maxwell) and old Q (Desmond Liewellyn). John Gien directs.

THE OUTSIDERS (PG) Warner West End (439 0791) S. E. Hinton's American classic about Oklahoma adolescence is filmed by Francis Coppola with an outrageous, exhitarating romantic bloom. Orange sides glower, cameras adopt cock-eyed angles, Robert Frost is lovingly quoted, and Carmine Coppola's score surrounds the action with a radiant musical halo. The streamlined visuals share the technology of One from the Heart; the emotional content, however, is unique. With Matt Dillon, G. Thomas Howell,

RETURN OF THE JEDI (U) Classic Chelsea (352 5096) Odeon Kensington (602 6644) Studio Oxford Circus (437 3300) instalment of George Lucas's Star Wars saga, this third adventure describes the rebel commander's new attempt to combat the Galactic Emperor, Directed by Richard Marguand, with Harrison Ford.

THE RISE TO POWER OF extended until Sept 14 Roberto Rossellini, one of the glories of post-war Italian cinema. ended his career making penetrating historical reconstructions. This is easily the most imaginative - an elegant account of Louis XIV's ruthless

SUPERMAN III (PG) Warner West End (439 0791) (439 0791)
A supercurate's egg; blithe comedy jostles with tedious set pieces.
Worth seeing, though, for director Richard Lester's acumen and the splendid spectacle of a spiteful, drunken Superman.

Sherlock Holmes Centa (935 2772) Studio Oxford Circus (437 3300) Warner West End (439 0791) Expert comedy about desperate actor Dustin Hoffman finding financial success and emotional turmoil as a female soap opera star. Larry Gefbart and Murray
Schisgal's knowing, witty script
never loses sight of the serious
ramifications. Sydney Pollack
directs with self-effacing skill, and
Hoffman's performance is Chartes Durning, Teri Garr.

TWILIGHT ZONE -THE MOVIE (15)
ABC Baysweter (229 4149)
ABC Edgware Road (723 5901)
ABC Futhern Road (370 2636) **ABC Shaftesbury Avenue** (836 8861) (836 8861) Classic Haymarket (839 1527) Classic Tottenham Court Road (636 6148) Studio Oxford Circus

(437 3300) Warner West End (439 0791) national release from Thurs

Mon, 8pm, Usher Hall, Edinburgh There is a lot of Zemlinsky at

KLEINE DREIGROSCHENMUSIK

and his Violin Concerto, with Nona

Agon and a staged performance of Renard. Lothar Zagrosek

Tues, 7.30pm, Albert Hall The London Sinfonletta Interpret

Welli's *Kleine Dreigrosche*r

Liddell as soloist. Before and

afterwards come Stravinsky's

Wed, 7.45 pm, Barbican Centre

Midsummer Night's Dream; Philip Fowke solos in Tchaikovsky's

rarely performed Plano Concerto in B Flat Minor.

Arpad Joo conducts the Philarmonia in Beethoven's

Leonara Overture No 3 and Mendelssohn's music for A

Edinburgh this year. The Czech

ZEMLINSKY

conducts. ARPAD JOO The American spine-tingling programme Twilight Zone, first broadcast in 1959, inspired four well-known directors to each make their own episode and string them together as a film. The directors in estion are Steven Spielberg, iohn Landis, Joe Dante and George Miller, and the special effects are as lavish as might be expected from them.

WAR GAMES (PG) Odeon, Lelcester Square (\$30 6111) The artful story of a boy computer-wizard who locates a secret

system programmed to play games ranging from chess to global thermonuclear war. Difficult to dislike; the script adroitly marshals current obsessions inside and outside Hollywood, and both cast and director (John Badham) help to hide the occasional structural flaw. With Matthew Broderick, Dabney Coleman, John Wood.

the time of going to press. Late changes are often made and it is advisable to check, using the telephone numbers given.

Dance

### Rock & Jazz

CHUCK BERRY Tonight, Peterborough Embankment, Linca Embankment, Linca
The teds will be out in force for shores. The master of rock'n' roll may not have made a decent record for ages but as a live attraction he still delivers the goods. Bitty J. Kramer and Screaming Lord Sutch are also on the bill. Drapes and petiticoats are

GEORGE COLEMAN Tonight, Ronnie Scott's, 47 Frith Street, London W1 George Coleman, a Miles Davis sideman in the early sixtles, is drawing the crowds to Scott's for this extended season. A fast, fluent tenor-sax player, Coleman will be supported by an all British line-up and guest Bill Le Sage.

**GEORGIE FAME** Sun, Clapham Common Bandstand, London SW4 The affable Fame heads an cutdoor bill that includes jazz rockers Morrisey/Mullen and Vamp, who number former Kokomo members in their ranks, A gentle afternoon perhaps, but a free one. Bar facilities on site.

HARRY BECKETT/DUDU PUKWANA Sun, Holland Park open-air theatre, Kensington High street, London WB

Two of South Africa's finest lazz musicians offer a fascinating contrast in styles. Backett's tyrical modern trumpet is offset by Pukwana's infectious township rhythms. Excellent surroundings and sound value at only \$2

MANU DIBANGO Mon, Hemmersmith Paleis, 242 Shepherd's Bush Read, London W6 (748 2812) An evening of African sounds in the esteemed company of Dibango, Gaspar Lawai and Kabbala means

that the Palais will be the hot spot in town. Start the week with some High Life. TAJ MAHAL Tues, Hammersmith Palais and the International Phythm Band, now sadly slimmed to a trio.

illate the soul with his hybrid

#### Opera

blues, jazz and reggas. Why hasn't

this man got a recording contract?

Taj Mahai is guaranteed to

ENGLISH NATIONAL OPERA This week sees the revival, for the kaleidoscopic apic of the historic siave uprising in Haiti led by Toussaint l'Ouverture, Neil Howlett returns to the title role, with Anne-Marie Owene as Suzainne, John Gibbs as Dessalines and Alan Opis as Napoleon. Performances on Tues and Fri this week. Its companion in the repertoire is Rigoletto on Wed and Sept 10, with **(838 3161).** 

**GLASGOW** This week Scottish Opera brings Jonathan Milier's stimulating, bookish and often quite beautiful but Alan Oke replaces Benjamin Luxon as Papageno.

IF VERSES HAD WINGS doors for a new season with the Songmakers' Almanac doing a composer Revnaldo Hahn. HAFFNER, BRUCKNER

some blues and soul to sweet his acidic reportoire. STEVIE RAY VAUGHAN AND DOUBLE TROUBLE Thurs, The Venue, 180-2 Victoria Street, London SW1 (834 5662) The best chance to see this predigious new blues guitarist and

his electric trio in an appropriate club setting. Vaughan was the featured player on David Bowie's Let's Dance album but his own material is rooted strictly in Texas rhythm and blues and advanced limi Hendrix virtuosity. Highly recommended. ORCHESTRAL MANOEUVRES IN THE DARK

Thurs, Caesars, Bradford, Yorks
The Liverpudian synthesizer-band
that inepired a million sitly
anagrams and even more sitly fey duos play a mini tour with nothing new to promote. In fact the band's Andy McClusky and Paul Humphries have a neat line in joky electro-pop and may be counted upon to spring a few visual surprises with their improved fivepiece band.

PETER GABRIEL Thurs, Hammersmith Odeon, Queen Caroline Street, London W6 (748 4081) The former Genesia vocalist's music sends some people into ecstasy and some people to sleep but there is no denying the understated power of his live act or the dexterity of a band that includes keyboard's wizard Larry

the Liverpool Empire on Sept 18. THE DAMNED Fri, Metro, Ashton-under-Lyne. Manchester, Lance. The original punk rock crazies are on the rampage again. Will Captain Sensible sing his cricket songs? Will the audience spit and pogo? Will they be upstaged by support band Beast, fronted by former Cramps' guitarist Bryan Gregory? The Damned's Hammersmith

Paleis date two days later adds Flash for Lulu and Playdead to the

bill. Should be a barrel of lauchs.

starts this week with John Copley's

new production of Peter Grimes. John Mitchinson takes the title role.

and Josephine Barstow should be an interesting new Ellen Orford. Tues and then Sept 14. Also in

A staged production (as seen at the London Sintenjetta's Stravinsky

Festival) of the composer's delightful little opera Mavra takes

delightful ittle opera *mawa* waxes place on Tuas with Elizabeth Gale, Felicity Palmer. Marta Szirmay and Ian Caley conducted by Lothar Zagrosak. Albert Hall (589 8212).

Filmer David Robinson and Geoff

Brown; Concerts. Max Harrison; Dance: John Percival; Rock and Jazz: Max Bell; Opera: Hilary

Finch: Photography: Michael

efelt's production of The Magic

repertoire this week is Goran

Flute (tonight and Wed). (0222 40541).

PROM OPERA

Fast. The tryur reaches its climax at

#### Welsh National Opera's new season at Cardiff's New Theatre

first time since its 1977 premiers, of David Blake's Toussaint, the Don Giovanni tonight and on Thurs.

The Magic Flute back to the Theatre Floyal, Glasgow (041 332 64321). The cast remains the same,

#### Concerts

Tonight, 7.30pm, Wigmore Hall, 36 Wigmore Street, London W1 (935 2141, credit cards 930 9232) The Wigmore Hall throws open its programme called "If My Verses had Wings", a song biography of the popular Franco-Venezuelan

Tonight, 7.30pm, Albert Hell, Kensington Gore, London SW7 (589 8212) Bernard Haitink conducts the Concertgebouw Orchestra in Mozart's "Haffiner" Symphony and Bruckner's Symphony No 9. These are timed at 18 and 61 minutes

TANNHAUSER TRANSCRIBED Tenight, 8pm, Usher Hall, Edinburgh (031 225 5756) After playing Saint-Saëns's Concerto No 2 with the City of Birmingham Orchestra under Simon Rattle, Shura Cherkassky takes on Liszt's horrendously difficult solo plano transcription of Wagner's Tannhäuser Overture. The programme ends w lus's Symphony No 5.

MARE NOSTRUM Tonight, 8pm, institute of Contemporary Arts, The Mail, London SW1 (330 3647)
Thank goodness the musiCA series has given us a chance to see Kagel's Mare Nostrum at last. It received its British premiere yesterday. Tonight there is a repeat performance of this theatrical piece about the "bizarre activities" of an Amazonian invader who subdues Mediterranean countries.

HERTS YOUTH Tomorrow, 3pm, Berbican Centre, Säk Street, London EC2 (628 8795, credit cards 638 8891)

of the news magazines of the

The Photographers' Gallery, 5 Great Newport Street, London WC2 (249 1965). Until Oct 8, Tues-Sat 11am-7pm

Long overdue showing for Cornel Lucas, who has been in the

business of portrait and fashion

photographs of the stars and models of the 1950s and 1960s

which, through their contrived

THE SAXON SHOREWAY

encient coastal path from

Gravesand in Kent to Rive in

Sussex. They chronicle the

damage done to the area by

industry, caravan parks, coastal

shacks and blighted estuaries as well as the beauty to be found in

the castles, cliffs, and kliosyncratic local pastimes. Published as a book with detailed map and words

by Alan Sillitoe (Hutchinson, 26.95).

imagery, epitomize the artificial world of fashion and film.

Further Education Centre, Lyon

Street, Rye, East Sussex. Sept 7-12, Mon-Set 10am-5pm Brief showing for Fay Godwin's evocative photographs of the

Lucas himself, include

photography for more than 40 years. Prints on show, all made by

THE GLOSSIES

CORNEL LUCAS



Key players: Marielle and Katia Labeque, on the bill at Edinburgh's Usher Hall, Monday

The Hertfordshire County Youth Orchestra play Elgar's Cockaigne Overture, Tippett's Double Concerto and Holst's The Planets. The Ladies of Hertfordshire County Youth Choir join in for the latter's final movement.

Tomorrow, 7.30pm, Wigmore Hall 36 Wigmore Street, London W1 (935 2141, credit cards 930 9232) With his nineteenth-century guitz and twentieth-century copy of an elighteenth-century lute, North plays a suite by J. S. Bach as well as places by Weiss, Hagen and Sor.

GURRELIEDER Tomorrow, Spm, Usher Hall, Edinburgh Sir Alexander Gibson conducts the Scottish National Orchestra, the Edinburgh Festival Chorus and soloists, including Ann Murray as the Wood Dove and Philip Langridge as Klaus the Fool, in

Schoenberg's Gurrelleder, The huge forces demanded make this work a rarity.

SIEGFRIED, SHOSTAKOVICH Mon, 7.30pm, Albert Hall Bernard Haltink conducts the Concertgebouw Orchestra in Wagner's Siegfried idyll and Shostakovich's Symphony No B. Like the Mozart and Bruckner works on Sat, these are timed at 18 and 61 minutes respectively.

MA VLAST Tues, 8pm, Usher Hall, Edinburgh The Czech Philharmonic, conducted by Vaclav Neumann, play all six of Bedrich Smetana's Ma Vlast (My Country) symphonic

POTTER, PHILPOT Wed, 7.30pm, Wigmore Hall Musiqua Antiqua of London, with John Potter (tenor) and Margaret Philpot (contratto), perform frottole carnival songs and dances

composed for Isabella d'Este of Florence and Lorenzo de Medici of

Mantua.

WEIN, VIOLA, VALSE Wed, 7.30pm, Albert Hall Berg's delightfully elaborate concert aria Der Wein is sung by Heather Harper. The Viola Concerto that Tibor Serly constructed out of Bartok's sketches is played by Nobuko Imal. And Erich Leinsdorf, appearing at the Proms for the first time since 1972, conducts Ravel's La Valse and Mozart's Symphony No 39.

Wed and Thurs, 7.30pm, Sutton Place, near Guildford, Surrey (0483 504455) (0483 504455)
The Orchestra of St John's Smith Square Ensemble play Maw's Night Thoughts, Mozart's Flute Quartet K 285, Mozart's Oboe Quartet K 370, a tric by Haydn, a boring Phantasy Quartet.

NIGHT THOUGHTS

**COWIE CONCERTO** Pri, 7.30 pm, Albert Hall Edward Cowie's Concerto for Orchestra, which was influenced by some drawings of Leonardo da Vinci, "Studies in the Movement of Water" is played by the Liverpool Philarmonic under Howard Williams. First, David Atherton williams. First, David American conducts Elgar's Cockaigne Overture and Holst's Egdon Heath; atterwards György Pauk and Ralph Kirshbaum solo in Brahm's Concerto for Violin and Cello.

WINDOS THRENODY Fri, 7.30 pm, Wigmore Hall Stephen Windos (piano) and Dai Pritchard (clarinet) give the London premiere of Windos's Threnody, along with Dubois's Saxophor Sonatina, an Elègie by Busonl and a Sonata (Op120 No 2) by Brahms.

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Disorder (5)

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16 Flexible (6) Scottish magistrate

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21 Accumulate (5)

22 Rugged rock (4)

5 Speering look (4)

Intimation (7)

14 Health science (7)

NEW YORK CITY BALLET Covent Garden (240 1065) today, 2pm and 7.30pm The company ends its London Philharmonic play his Sinfonletta Op 23 and Dvořák's Symphony No 7, under Jiri Belohlavek. Katia and season with an all-Balanchine matinée of Agon, Schumann's Davidsbûndiertanze and Symphony in C. This last is given also tonight, together with Robbins's Gershwin Concerto and Dussek's Concerto for Two Planos. Balanchine's Mozartiana. Returns

if you are lucky.

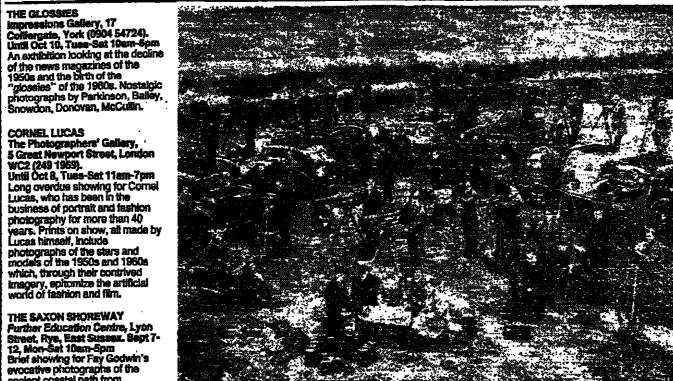
HUNGARIAN STATE BALLET Edinburgh Playhouse (Festival Box Office 031:225 5756), Sept 5-10 at 7.30pm From this company, the dancers should be excellent, but the production sounds odd. Called *Proba*, which means both trial and rehearsal, it uses themes from a novel Christ Recrucified, and a score combining synthesized Bach and Hungarian rock.

RALLET RAMBERT Edinburgh, Kings (Festival Box Office 031 225 5756) today. 2.30pm and 7.30pm Z.Jupin and r.Jupin The programme includes Merce Cunningham's Fielding Sixes and Richard Alston's Chicago Brass as well as the new work based by composer Christopher Benstead composer Christopher Bens and choreographer Robert North

SECOND STRIDE Edinburgh Assembly Rooms, Sept 6-10 at 4.30pm SURAYA HILAL Edinburgh Assembly Rooms, until Sept 10 (except Sun) at 5pm Two Fringe dance shows with known, reliable standards. Suraya Hilal's choreography, using ancient Arab styles, has music by the special group who recently appeared with her in London. Second Stride offer two programmes, including a new work by Siobhan Davies (Tues-Thur) and

lan Spink's New Tactics (Fri, Sat).

#### Photography



Lens spectacle: Cornel Lucas's picture of cameramen at the Epson Derby in 1952

WILLIAM EGGLESTON Victoria and Albert Muser Henry Cole Wing, Cromwell Road, London SW7 (589 6371). Until Sept. 18, Mon-Thurs and Sat 10am-5.30pm, Sun 2.30-5.30pm Colour photographs of the American South by William

Egglaston. The dye-transfer prints give an added intensity of colour which does little to hide the snapshot feel of the exhibition. **EL SALVADOR** 

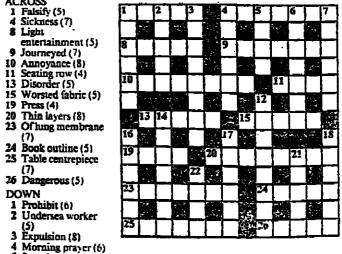
Side Gallery, 9 Side, Newcastle upon Tyne (0632 322206).

Set-Sun 11am-5pm
The fact that 20 photographers are able to contribute to this exhibition of photographs taken during the past year demonstrates the magnetic power of this troubled

Until Oct 9, Tues-Fri 11am-6pm.

#### CONCISE CROSSWORD (No 140)

Prizes of the New Collins Concise English dictionary will be given for the first two correct solutions opened on Thursday, September 8, 1983. Entries should be addressed to The Times Concise Crossword Competition, 12 Coley Street, London WC99 9YT. The winners and solution will be announced on Saturday, September 10, 1983. ACROSS



SOLUTION TO No 139 ACROSS: 1 Francée 5 Mower 8 Neo 9 Skinned :10 Nares 11 Polo 12 Psychic 14 Prim and prope 16 Ousting 18 Back 21 Infin 22 Shivers 23 Art 24 Mural 25 Organza DOWN: 1 Fuss 2 Amigo 3 Convocational 4 End

up 5 Money grubbing 6 Worship 7 Rest cure 13 Aphonism 15 Insolar 17 Gusto 19 Clean 20 Asia Recommended dictionary is the Collins New Concise.

Name. Address

#### Today

WATER SKI SPECTACULAR:
Nearly 30 of the world's top
water skiers are competing for
prize money of £25,000 at the Peter
Stuyvesant World Water Ski International. They include Britain's three leading practitioners, Mike Hazelwood, Andy Mapple and John Battleday. Thorpe Park, Chertsey, Surrey. Today and tomorrow from

EDINBURGH FESTIVAL: Enters its final week. See Galleries, page 5, and Concerts and Dance, page 7.

NATWEST BANK TROPHY: With Viv Richards, Joel Garner and acting capitaln lan Botham each capable of winning a match on their own, Somerset must start favourities to overcome the talented and improving Kent side, led by Chris Tavare, in the final of cricket's 60 overs competition at Lord's. Play starts at 10.30am and for those who have been unable to get those who have been unable to get tickets there is extensive television coverage throughout the day on BBC1 and BBC2, while Radio 3 is providing ball-by-ball commentary.

**PSYCHIC AND MYSTICS FAYRE:** Lectures by clairvoyants, astrologers, palmists, crystal ball gazers and Tarot card readers and continuous performances of yoga, t'ai chi, pendulum dowsing, healing and dancing. Plenty of healing crystals and pyramid energy kits on sale. Cunard international Hotel, Hammersmith, London W6. Admission: adults £2: children and pensioners £1.50. 11am-7pm. Today and tomorrow.

ENGLISH VINEYARD WINE FESTIVAL: Lamberhurst, in Kent, winner of the Gore Browne trophy for the English wine of the year, is one of 15 vineyards displaying its vintiages and visitors can taste up to 60 wines, including unusual reds and rosés. Other attractions are a display of ancient corkscrews; wine-related products for sale; and a working product. For sale; and a working product. smokery. English Wine Centre, Valley Wine Cellars, Drusillas Corner, Alfriston, East Sussex (0323 870532/870234). Admission £3 includes four tastings and a glass. Noon until 6pm, today and

SALISBURY FESTIVITIES: A fortnight of frolics and culture starts with the Salisbury Theatregoers' Garden Party this afternoon and two music events this evening: Yuri Temirkanov conducting the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra in the Cathedral, 7.30pm, and Mike Westbrook playing jazz in the Salisbury Arts Centre. 8pm. Two highlights during the week are the Philip Jones Brass Ensemble (Tues) and Dame Janet Baker with Geoffrey Parsons (Thurs), both in the Cathedral. Box Office, Salisbury Playhouse, Malthouse Lane, Salisbury (0722 25173). Until Sept 17.

MICHAEL POWELL: A selection from the fifty or so feature films made by one of England's finest directors, now in his late seventies. The directors, now in his late seventies. The season begins with *The Thief of Baghdad*, an extravagant technicolour spectacle made by Powell, Tim Whelan and Ludwig Berger in 1940 (today and tomorrow). To come are *The Red Shoes* (Sept 10, 11); *The Boy Who Turned Yellow* (which, it is hoped, the director will introduce, Sept 17); *The Queen's Guards* (Sept 18); and A Matter of Life and Death (Sept 24, 25). The YCA and Death (Sept 24, 25). The ICA Children's Cinema, The Mall, London SW1 (930 3647). All screenings at 3pm.



Model of military precision: One of the hundreds of sets of toy soldiers (this one is valued at £400-£500) that will go under the auctioneer's hammer at Phillips on Wednesday

CHERISHED MOVIES: As part of the 50th anniversary celebrations of the British Film Institute, members have voted for their top thirty films. Although over 2,000 films were chosen, two stand out far beyond the rest. Casablanca (today) and Les Enfants du Paradis (tomorrow), with Citizen Kane (also tomorrow) a strong third. There are four British pictures in the top thirty, of which Stanley Kubrick's 2001: A Space Odyssey (Tues) did best, taking lifth place. National Film Theatre, South Bank, London SE1 (928 3232). Until Oct 1.

JULIET BRAVO: Firmly established as the Saturday night successor to Dixon of Dock Green, this likeable police series starts its new season with a change of . Jean Darblay has left Hartley and the first programme introduces her successor, Inspector Kate Longdon. She is played by Anna Carteret, who sees the character as "objective, calm and clear-headed". BBC1, 7.35-8.25pm.

#### Tomorrow

MOTORSPORT DOUBLE BILL: The 1983 World Speedway Championship will be decided today when 16 riders battle for the title at Norden, West Germany. Britain's hopes rest with Michael Lee, the 1980 world champion, and Kenny Carter. Also today is the San Marino Grand Prix, the final race in the 500cc motorcycle championship which has been dominated by the Americans Freddie Spencer and Kenny Roberts. There is live television coverage of both events on Sunday Grandstand, BBC1, from 2pm, with highlights 9.45-10.10pm.

MUSIC AT KENWOOD: The Delmé String Quartet play music by Mozart, Haydn and Brahms in the first of a series of Sunday concerts in the Orangery. Each concert includes a work by Brahms to celebrate his 150th anniversary. Kenwood House,

Hampstead Lane, London NW3 (633 1707 for tickets). £1-£3. 7.30pm. Series ends Sept 25.

#### Monday

BELLAMY'S NEW WORLD: The intrepld botanist David Bellamy crosses the Atlantic for a series on the plant life and ecology of the United States. In the first of the eight programmes he looks, among other things, at the cacti of Arizona and how the southern Californians organize their water supply. BBC1, 7.10-7.40pm.

VISCONTI ON MONDAYS: White Nights, made in 1957, opens a short season which coincides with the release of Visconti's approved version of The Leopard (see p7). Other films are The Innocent and Senso (Sept 12); Death in Venice (Sept 19) and Ludwig (Sept 26). Scala Cinema, King's Cross, London N1 (278 8052/0051). Until Sept 26.

CRIME AND PUNISHMENT: Dramatization of Dostoevsky's novel (see page 5).

MOLIERE: Mikhaii Bulgakov's play about the seventeenth century Freech play about the seventeenth century French playwright, in a version by Dusty Hughes from the literal translation by Helen Rappaport.
Transferred from The Other Place, Stratford, this production last two hours without an interval. Bill Alexander directs it as a companion piece to Molière's own Tartuffe, in which Antony Sher also has the title role. Pit (628 8795). Opens today at 7.30pm. Also on Tues, Wed and Fri at 7.30pm. In repertory.

NIGHTCAP: Francis Durbridge's latest thriller stars Nyree Dawn Porter, Jack Hedley, Derek Waring, Barbara Murray. Directed by Val May. Ashcroft Theatre, Croydon (688 9291). Preview today at 7.45pm; opens tomorrow at 7.45pm. Until Sept 16. Mon-Fri at 7.45pm; Sat



Tuba man: Mike Westbrook, at Salisbury today

5pm and 8.15pm; matinée Wed at

#### Tuesday

DOLLS' HOUSES FOR AUCTION: Ultra-modern, architect-designed dolls' houses come under the hammer this evening, part of the proceeds going to the Save the Children Fund. Of the 260 designs submitted to the magazine Architectura Design in a competition, 62 were built. The winning house, a British design, is big enough for a child to enter, has opening windows, peep holes and spiral interconnecting staircases. Indulgent parents are expected to pay from £50 to £1,000. Sotheby's St George Street Gallery, 1-2 St George Street, London W1 (493 8080). 6pm. Fully illustrated book (estalogue with architects) book/catalogue, with architects' descriptions, £9.95.

MURDER DEAR WATSON: John Kane's new cornedy the little Kane's new comedy thriller concerning Sherlock Holmes and his faithful assistant. Edward

Woodward is the doctor, Keith Baxter is woodward is the doctor, Kerth Baxter Is Holmes; Peter Coe directs. Churchill Theatre, Bromley, Kent (450 6677/5838). Preview today at 7.45pm. Opens tomorrow at 7.45pm. Until Oct 1. Mon-Fri at 7.45pm; Sat at 8pm. Matinées Sept 15 and 29 at 2.30pm; Sept 1.7 and Oct 1. 4 4.30pm. Sept 17 and Oct 1 at 4.30pm.

A MOON FOR THE MISBEGOTTEN: Eugene O'Neill's play, starring Frances de la Tour, lan Bannen, Alan Devlin, directed by David Leveaux, transfers from its successful short run at the Riverside Studios, for a planned ten weeks' run. Mermaid (236 5568/236 5324). Previews today, tomorrow and Thurs at 7.45pm; opens Fri at 7pm. Then: Mon-Sat at 7.45pm. No matinées.

#### Wednesday

ON PARADE: A division of troops – 10,000 old lead soldiers parades for the auctioneer.

Personality figures include Sir Walter
Raleigh, Hitler, Stalin, the Queen, and
Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs. A £2 boxed set of soldiers, given to the vendor in 1936 when he was 11 by Gracie Fields, is expected to make £500. Phillips, London W1 (629 6602) 12 noon.

THE TEMPEST: Ron Daniels directs this transfer from Stratford with Derek Jacobi as Prospero, Bob Peck as Caliban, Alice Krige as Miranda, Christopher Benjamin as Stephano, and Mark Rylance as Ariel. Barbican (628 8795). Previews today, Thurs, Fri and Sept 10 and 12 at 7.30pm; Sept 10 at 2pm. In repertory.

A STREETCAR NAMED DESIRE: Tennessee Williams's Pulitzer
Prizewinning play opens the 1983/4
season at Greenwich. Sheila Gish is
Blanche, Paul Herzberg is Stanley, with Clare Higgins and Duncan Preston. Directed by Alan Strachan, Greenwich Theatre, Croom's Hill, SE10 (858 7755). Opens today at 7.45. Until Oct 22. Mon-Sat at 7.45pm; matinée Sat at 2.30pm.

ALBERT, PRINCE CONSORT: This month's edition of the historical series, Timewatch, is devoted to the life and reputation of Queen Victoria's husband, the remarkable German who left his mark on Britain in so many ways. The

programme comes from Osborne House, on the Isle of Wight, which Albert designed for his tamily, and there are contributions from historians Lord Briggs, Robert Rhodes James and David Cannadine. BBC2, 8-9pm. BY ST THOMAS WATER: Is the birthplace and workplace in Launceston, Cornwall, of the poet and schoolmaster Charles

Causley. Tonight's biographical portrait includes the thoughts of friends like A. L. Rowse and D. M. Thomas and Causley himself reads a selection of his poems. Radio 4, 8.45-9.30pm. THE GATHERING SEED: Six-part drama series set in Manchester before and after the Second World War. The working-class hero, Joe Henshaw

(played as a boy by David Philburn and 10 years on by David Threlfall) is parily based on the author, Jim Allen, whose previous television work has included the politically controversial Days of Hope, United Kingdom and The Spongers. BBC2, 10-10.55pm

#### Thursday

**VENICE DELIGHTS: Topographical** subjects in a sale of books, atlases and maps are headed by a superb, early eighteenth century two-volume work on Venice with many engravings by Zucchi after Tiepolo, Manaigo and others (estimate £3,500). Special sections of the sale devoted to London, gardening and natural history. Phillips, London W1 (629 6602) 1pm.

RETURN ENGAGEMENT: Timothy Leary, the 1960s man who advocated "tune in, turn on and drop out", and G. Gordon Liddy.

who mastermindeed the Watergate break-in, now go on lecture tours together, although they have been anything but close friends in the past. Alan Rudolph's film follows them over eight days. Cert 15. Screen on the Green (226 3520).

WILD STYLE: Rapping, scratching, breaking and double-dutching is apparently what those who see Charlie Ahearn's film will be doing afterwards. It is about the street art invented by the New York kids living in South Bronx, with music composed by Chris Stein. No certificate. ICA Cinema, The Mail. London SW1 (930 3647, closed Mon). Until Oct 5.

THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE: Film version of the New York Strakespeare Festival production of Gilbert and Sullivan's musical spoof. See p7.

THE GENIUS: Howard Brenton's THE GENIUS: Howard Brenton's latest play is about a Nobel Prize-wirning mathematician, attempting to suppress his solution to the final enigma of nuclear physics, who meets a brilliant student who has reached the same conclusion. Danny Parks disparts a cest including Transport reached the same contribution. Dailing Boyle directs a cast including Trevor Eve, Anna Nygh, Alan David, Clive Swift, Joanne Whalley. Royal Court (730 1745). Previews today, Fri and Sept 10 at 8pm. Opens Sept 12 at 7pm. For a limited season. Mon-Sat at 8pm.

#### Friday

BRITISH DESIGNERS' SALE: A chance to buy clothes from leading British w buy cromes from reading brash designers at wholesale price or less, in some cases a saving of 80 per cent. More than 5,000 garments are on offer, including leather, furs, lingerie, knitwear "Shoper Passar" costs and eller "Sloane Ranger" coats and silk separates. Washington Hotel Ballroom, Curzon Street, London W1. Today 10am-7pm, tomorrow 10am-5pm Admission 60p. Further information, ring 228 5314.

INTERNATIONAL ATHLETICS: The international Athletics Club/Coca Cola floodift meeting gives the season its traditional grand finale. Among those expected to take part are Steve Cram, the world 1500 metres champion. Allan Wells, Steve Ovett and Colin Reitz, as well as overseas stars Gred Foster. Heriad Schmid and Pietro Mennea. National Sports Centre, Crystal Palace, London SE19 (778 0131), 7.30pm. Television coverage on BBC1, 8.10-9pm and 11.50pm-12.15am.

BLONDEL: New musical by Tim Rice (his first since Evita) and Stephen Oliver about the twelfth century ministrel who refuses to believe that his king, Richard the Lionheart, is dead and sets off across Europe to find him. Paul Nicholas plays Blondel, with Sharon Lee Hill as his girlfriend, Fiona. Theatre Royal, Sawclose, Bath (0225 65074). Previews today at 8.15pm and tomorrow at 4pm and 8.15pm; opens Mon at 7.15pm. Then Mon-Thurs 7.15pm; Fri-Sat 8.15pm, matinees Wed 2.30pm, Sat 4pm. Until Sept 25. The show then moves to the Palace Theatre, Manchester, before re-opening at the Old Vic in London during October.

#### **Week following**

ST LEGER: One of racing's great classics; Doncaster, Sept 10.

BATTLE OF BRITAIN DAY: The fortythird anniversary: Sept 15.

#### Family Life

## The hidden costs of gerbils and goldfish

You know the thinly-veiled lateral thinking riddle about the dead body in the sitting room, lying on the floor, with all the you have even thought of the vindows closed, door locked from the inside, no marks on the body and no weapon (it wasn't suicide) - who did it and how did it happen? Answer: the cat knocked over the goldfish bowl.

when one of them ruined it by oursting into tears and giving away the answer before any of the others had had time to think

I thought fish would be the some cases for many years. They they will not re bottom line as far as care and will cost you a great deal more their lovely song.

expense were concerned, but not a bit of it. A good tank will set you back between £10 and £15, before filter, not to mention the fish, which will add another £25 or so to your bill. A small box of fish food will cost £2, but it lasts for months. The fish may not - though goldfish can live for years Well, I was putting this though goldlish can live for years conundrum to a group of children - and will need constant, though minimal, attention every day to check that they and the tank are in good running order.

A budgie can cost as little as £6 about it. "It's not funny", she and provided you do not give him wailed, "That's exactly what another budgie as a companion, happened to my goldfish". may (although there is no I had forgotten just how guarantee) become quite friendly attached small children become to and talkative if you invest enough pets other than the family dog or time in him. His cage, however, cat, but I was reminded again a will cost at least twice as much as few days later when my son set off he does, probably more. He will with a schoolfriend for a long need fresh water and flooring weekend in Norfolk. With them every day, his seed will need a went the parents, the older sister regular blow-through to get rid of and the family collie and two dust; he will want cuttlefish and goldfish, two hamsters and a grit to aid his digestion and gerbil. "No one else to feed sharpen his beak; and he must be them", said the father philosophi- kept at all times away from cally. On reflection I realized that draughts, and sun through glass it is not only the dog that inhibits (budgies can easily "overheat"). some families from taking Parrots and parakeets are much holidays abroad, but legions of better able to fend for themselves. little animals and fish as well. So I with a bite that can crack a brazil took myself off to my local pet nut or finger bone, in one. They shop in Camden Town to find out also have a reputation for being

thermometer, heater, pump and

- holidays apart - just how far more intelligent than their demanding and expensive such "who's a pretty bird" utterances

suggest and are reputed to live in



Rat cuddling: Yvette Ferrari shows how to lavish care on a Black Hooded Rat at a pet shop in Camden Town

than a budgerigar (anything from £55 to £800, with proportionately more expensive cages) though their feed - birdseed and a few small pieces of fruit each week - is

very cheap. The finches are beautiful, but I hated to see them enclosed. On the Continent, where they hold a quite different attitude, finches in cages are to be seen everywhere. They can also be quite expensive - from £7.50 a pair to several hundred pounds. If you must have them, always have at least one pair. Without a companion they will not reward you with

female and male - are almost inevitable; they breed fast and you could have three generations before you know where you are. They are cheap (about 50p each for a common white or 75p for a French mouse); their cages cost only a few pounds and the cost of feeding them is negligible compared with the pleasure they give.

NIOSE CHIMATER BY MIOSE CHIMATER BY MI pared with the pleasure they give. Hamsters come a little dearer. tween £2.50 and £3.25 each and gerbils, less popular because their long tails remind many of rats, start at about £1.25. Like the mice hamsters and gerbils. if they are

As far as mice are concerned, happy in their habitat, will numbers - if you start off with a multiply fast. However, they remain the most popular small pets among children, particularly hamsters, which according to the manageress of my pet shop is a little surprising since they are not always as friendly as they seem. Most children go through a find yourself bamboozled into a visit to the pet shop yourself. If you do, follow good advice of

that is well made and big enough for the pet's requirement Remember that even fish may live a year or two, the small rodents from two to three years, budgerigars for about six and parrots far longer. Do not buy a per that another per is likely to want to catch or kill. And before buying anything other than fish. be sure that you or the children are not allergic to fur or feathers, Better to say no at the start than cause a lot of tears if a pet has to be disposed of or found a new

Bridge

## Outings

**BRITISH LONG DISTANCE** SWIMMING ASSOCIATION CHAMPIONSHIPS From Lakeside to Waterhead, Lake Windermere, Cumbria. Today from 9am by many of the mighty distanceswimmers to be even more arduous than swimming the Channel and as prestigious. If you want to get a closer look at the brave men who undertake the swim and cheer them on, make your way to Windermere today.

**CHATSWORTH COUNTRY FAIR** Chatsworth Park, near Bakewel Derbyshire. Today and tomorr 9.30am-6.30pm; adults £2, children £1, parking £1
One of the best annual country fairs, held in the splendid park at Chatsworth. Continuous entertainment on both days includes the Band of the Coldstream Guards, Guriche Massed Pipes and Drums, free-fall parachuting, falconry displays, horse driving, vintage cars, displays of hounds, dressage quadrifle and hot-air balloon cents. Outside the ring there will be lurcher racing, gun dog scurries and tests, a terrier show, ferret racing and showing, fly casting, clay pigeon shooting and archery competitions, tug-of-war. An excellent children's comer, 170 trade stands, refreshm

RARE BREEDS SURVIVAL TRUST SHOW AND SALE Royal Agricultural Showground, Stoneleigh, Kenilworth, Warwickshire. Fri, Sept 10, 9am-6pm; free The largest collection of all the rare

breeds of sheep, cattle, pigs, goats and poultry you are likely to see at any one time, on show and for sale, Judy Froshaug plus 40 trade stands selling country crafts and farm equipment.

Refreshments throughout each day with barbeque in the evenings. CAB DRIVER OF THE YEAR COMPETITION Battersea Park, London, SW11,

Sun 11am-5pm, free Rally of London taxi d final leg of the London Taxi Driver of the Year competition plus numerous trade stands, side stalls and shows, steel bands, vintage taxi cabs. All proceeds go to

FESTIVAL OF 1000 BIKES Brands Hatch Circuit, Fawkham, near Dartford, Kent. Sun 10am-5pm; adults £1.50, children and parking free. Grand circuit parade of veteran, vintage, and post-war bikes, a pre-1985 sporting trial, numerous static displays, road skills demonstrations by the Kent police

plus grass track racing, demonstrations of sprint starts and autojumble. A must for bike enthusiasts in the family. **BRITISH DRIVING SOCIETY** 

Belvoir Castle, near Grantham, Leicestershire. Sun 2pm onwar adults £1.80, children 90p. If you enjoy watching horses in pairs and fours and all the elegance of driving, you will enjoy this meeting. Younger children may prefer to watch and listen to the Melton Toy Soldiers Carnival Band, (dressed, as you would suppose, as toy soldiers) or explore the castle. Gates open at noon. **TOY AND TRAIN COLLECTORS** 

FAIR Wootwich Town Hall, London SE18. Sept 4, 11 am to 4 pm; adults 50p, children 25p Over 70 stalls selling or exchanging a wide range of die-cast or clockwork toys and trains including Homby. Really for serious collectors but children will find plenty to look at and buy.

Chess

## Why Rousseau forswore the board

Thomas Hardy's claim that chess, as an intellectual activity, was superior to life itself, is perhaps a little extravagant; but it happens preserve whole tournaments and of the best of the world's grandmasters (with the exception preserve whole tournaments and of Karpov who, for reasons of his protective of the leaders in the latest of to be substantiated by the matches for posterity. And those surprising fact that chess is chess magazines that have essentially a literary game. Life, obtained immortality are the ones on the other hand, may or may that have preserved international not be a literary activity, tournaments and matches in this depending on personality, circumstances or just plain chance.

Consider what the great writers have said about chess. Voltaire, for instance, wrote that chess was the game that reflected the most honour on the human mind - on the esprit humain, a phrase I despair of translating completely. And his fellow-countryman, Jean-Jacques Rousseau, took up matches. writing as a sort of second-best to The writing as a sort of second-best to playing chess, which he abandoned on realizing that, even with a lifetime's effort, he would be of which have already been abbe who taught him the game. Consider, too, the great chesswriters who have written so magnificently about the game: Philidor, Steinitz, Tarrasch, Reti, Nimzowitsch, Tartakower, and

way.
The most famous of all, perhaps, is Kagan's Neuesse Schachnachrichten and also very fine was Lancel's Echiquier Belge. But nowadays the chess publishers have taken a hand in this laudable matter and are producing volume after volume contain-ing whole tournaments and

able to play only as well as the published. Volume No. 8 runs to 199 large pages and contains the games of 12 chess events played

in 1982. Tournament Chess No. 7, They are all able to do this by reason of the simple fact that a

own, has avoided playing against the Lloyds Bank Masters tourna-Kasparov).

grandmaster, Andersson, with 5½ points, just half a point ahead of Spassky, Ljubojevic and Portisch, with 5 points each. The American erandmaster. Kavalek, came bottom with 4 points.

It seems a pity that Karpov so studiously avoids meeting Kasparov. Can it be that he hopes to avoid playing against his most dangerous rival throughout his life? The pity of it is that these two players, both enormously gifted, represent two quite different schools of chess and so a match between them should produce much fascinating chess. Volume No. 7, which costs equally impressive, is perhaps £9.95, is really good value for more typical of the series. There money since it contains over money since it contains over

ment which is being held at the Another famous event in which is being field at the moment of writing in a lot at the moment of writing in a lot a curiosity in 11 moves to double-round tournament in which Karpov did play. He came equal first with the Swedish White: Chekhov. Black: Razu-vaev. English Opening.

> More prudent, as will soon be seen, was  $4 \dots, P_X P_x$

A terrible mistake that allows is queen to be trapped. Instead a should have tried 10...,P-Because of 11...Q-KR4, 12 N-N5, Q-R5, 13 P-KN3, Q-R3, 14 NxB when White wins much

hegative doubles? No Drury?
What sort of bridge is this?"
Harry Golombek Sulkily the visitor dealt the first

## How a stranger torpedoed an expert

Good technique alone is no passport to riches at the rubber bridge table. Infinitely more important is knowledge of the opposition, especially the one sitting opposite you - the most dangerous of the lot.

Of course the club expert, Charles Grandace, is kenly aware of this candident is kenly aware. of this consideration. He has made a close study of Tom's

overbidding, Fred's timidity and Harry's poor eard-play, both as declarer and in the defence. But even Grandace is not immune from the dangers of playing with a total stranger.

It was with interest, and if I am honest, not a little Schadenfreude, that I watched a rubber which illustrated these perils to perfection. The stranger in this case was a transatlantic visitor whose

financial acumen was the byword of Wall Street. His prowess at the bridge table was demonstrably The preliminaries took some time, as Grandace had to explain that only simple conventions were allowed. "No transfers? No

Visitor

• AK72

• AK

• J4

• AQJ98

This motley collection of Queens and Knaves is only worth a positive to those players who tot up their points completely without thought. 2 A very awkward bid. Possibly a

quantitative four no trumps possesses some technical merit. Three no trumps was certainly the bread and butter bid. 3 Uppardonable. Pass? Five spades or six spades?

I am sure Grandace would have passed if he had played with this particular West before. The objection to five spades is obvious. It leaves West with the final decision and says absolutely nothing to help him to make up his mind.

The defence cashed two diamonds and the club finesse was wrong so they went two down.

"I'm sorry", Grandace said; "That's OK", the visitor replied, "but you could have gotten the hand off your chest by responding two no. Then I close out in three no." "Quite right", the club expert said, pobly ignoring the inconsist. said, nobly ignoring the inconsist-ency of the visitor's analysis with his actions at the table after the much weaker sequence which East had followed. Next came the concession of an

unnecessary 500 penalty, which was forgotten when they bid three no trumps and made four on the third hand. On the fourth hand after a pass by South, the visitor opened five clubs. This was Grandace's hand

Surely, he reasoned. West might have one outside first-round control but not two, so be passed. Not a success. The visitor ruffed the opening heart lead and put his hand down, claiming seven with a hundred honours. This was his idea of an opening

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\*Four points", the visitor said. Three hundred and fifty," the others said in unison. "In the States 350 counts as four. I see I'm going to have to adjust my game." "Yes indeed," Grandace said, but true to his creed, he said

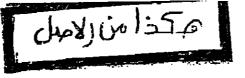
it under his breath. Jeremy Flint

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City Editor's Comment

Why the Bank was

busy doing nothing

foreign currency reserves

at the Bank of England.

What it means is that the

Bank failed to support the

pound against the dollar

when all about us in Europe

were piling in their reserves

Indeed the pound, al-though it fell 2½ cents

against the dollar over the

month, proved one of the

world's most stable cur-

rencies. Oil, which in the

past has alternately boos-

ted and undermined ster-

ling, is a balanced market

and, since it is denominated

in dollars, provided ballast

for the pound. Instead the

heat has switched to the

dollar/Deutschemark rate,

and hence the other Euro-

This was luck. It will not

always hold and it will not

always be right for the

Bank of England to stay on

the sidelines. Nor is what

pean currencies as well.

to no good effect.

### Investment and Finance

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THEXTIMES

STOCK EXCHANGES

FT Index: 705.8 down 2.8 FT Gitts: 79.45 down 0.06 FT All Share: 449.23 down

monetary rund, comes at a-critical moment in negotiations between Brazil, the IMF and commercial banks on a new rescue package for the world's biggest debtor.

Brazil's debts are put a \$900n nd arrears on loan payments at Bargains: 20,646 \$2bn. Three months ago the IMF and the commercial banks cut off further finance after Brazil had New York: Dow Jones Average: (latest) 1213.40 up failed to comply with the original

Tokyo: Mikkel Dow Jones index 9,183.11 down 45.24 Hongkong: Hang Seng Index 950.54 down 4.70 IMF economic programme. Since then, the country's liquidity problems have escalated. Senhor Langoni, aged 39, became president of the central Amsterdam:148.7 down 2.2 Sydney: AO Index 914.5 up Right to be

Frankfurt: Commerzbi index 923.60 down 3.20 Brussels: General Index 132.49 up 0.29 Paris: CAC Index 133.1 Zurich: SKA General 287.0 down 0.3

#### **CURRENCIES**

LONDON CLOSE Sterling \$1.4955 down 35 pts index 85.3 down 0.2 DM 4.0325 down 0.01 FrF 12.1150 down 0.04 Yen 369.25 down 0.75

Index 129.5 up 0.1 DM 2.6955 up 15 pts NEW YORK LATEST Sterling \$1.4950 Dollar DM 2.6937 INTERNATIONAL

#### INTEREST RATES

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Domestic rates: Bank base rates 91/2 Finance houses base rate 10 Discount market loans week fixed 91/2-91/8

3 month interbank 915/16-97/ Euro-currency rates: 3 month dollar 101/4-10% 3 month DM 6-5/4

3 month Fr F15%-15% U\$ rates Bank prime rate 11.00 Fed funds 91/2

Treasury long bond 1001/32they should be forced to have one." Mr Healy said. ECGD Fixed Rate Sterling Export Finance Scheme IV **ECGD** Average reference rate for banks' limited opening hours and take its stake to 29 per cent. interest period July 6 to August | the decline in branch networks 2. 1983 inclusive: 9.989 per could create difficulties in getting cent.

**GOLD** 

London fixed (per ounce): am \$418.30 pm \$417.50 close \$417.25-418 (£278.75-279.25) up \$1 New York latest: \$417.50 Krugerrand" (per coin): \$429.50-431 (£286.75-287.75) Sovereigns\* (new): \$98-99 (£65.50-66.25) Excludes VAT

TODAY

Interims: Barclay's Bank Finals: Acrow (ammended). Peter Black Holdings.
Economic statistics; Unemployment and unfilled vacancies (July provisional).

#### **NOTEBOOK**

Hamilton Oil GB, one of the smaller exploration companies spawned by the North Sea, saw its interim pretax profits fall by £3.9m to £13m. The lower profits reflect diminished production from the Argyli field - the company's main producing asset - and reduced oil prices. The shares fell 6p to

Church, the manufacturer and retailer of quality shoes, raised it interimm pretax profits from 2581,000 to £1.05m. Retail sales in this coutry were helped by the high number of foreign tourists in London. But overseas sales are riding as well and the company expects the profits increase to continue. A rise in the dividend from 2.5p to 3p helped the shares to gain 25p to 320p.

#### Drinks retailer is wound up

The cat price wine and spirit retailers Augustus Barnett and Son went into liquidation yester-day with total debts of £13.5m.

The company, which had 251 shops, is owned by Rumasa, a Madrid group which was taken over by the Spanish government last February.

Yesterday British creditors called on the Spaniards to meet promises of financial support and Mr Michael Jordan, chartered accountant, one of two joint liquidators, said he would investigate the possibility of enforcing undertakings given by Rumase to the company.

 Jaguar Cars Incorporated, 2 wholly-owned subsidiary of BL, said its US car sales in August Langoni protests over tough IMF demands

## Brazil debt agreement undermined as central bank chief resigns

bank in 1980 and was a key figure, commercial bank loans and intolerably severe recession next with Senhor Antonio Delfim Netto, the Planning Minister, and Senhor Ernane Galveas, the Finance Minister, in the debt

The sudden resignation of

Brazil's central bank president,

Senhor Carlos Langoni, sent shock waves through banking

His resignation, in protest at

the severity of measures de-manded by the International

Monetary Fund, comes at a-

paid cash

should stay'

Employees should retain the

tional Consumer Council

right to be paid in cash rather than by cheque or direct credit,

Mr Maurice Healy, assistant director of the National Con-sumer Council said: "We are

concerned that some employees

on low incomes may be forced

into bank accounts which they

cannot manage. Some will slip into overdraft and a few will

ultimately find that they cannot actually get their hands on their

The council has told the

Government that while it is right

to encourage payment of wages

into bank accounts, it would be

entirely wrong for people to be compelled to have a bank

"The basic statutory right of employees to be paid in cash should be preserved," Mr Healy

The council believes that any

reforms of the legislation govern-

ing payment of wages should give employees the right to have their

wages paid into an account held

by any recognized beposit-taking institution of their choice— including building societies. "It may well be in many

people's interests as consumers to

have bank accounts because

among other things, they may be able to get cheaper forms of

credit. But this does not mean

The council points out that

in areas where there are no

automatic cash dispensers.

has told the Government

circles yesterday.

But he was increasingly excluded from the latest round of negotiations with the IMF. nhor Delfim Netto played the leading role. Bankers said that one of the

main surprises about Senhor Langoni's departure was that he was not persuaded to stay on. He is believed to have offered his resignation before, but it was

Only a week ago Senhor Langoni told bankers in New York that Brazil would sign a new letter of intent with the IMF by mber 10. This was expected to clear the way for more

The cleaning companies' battle

for pole position ahead of the

Government's privitization of hospital and local authority

cleaning operations began in

earnest yesterday when Brengreen (Holdings) announced a £33m takeover offer for Sunlight

Services.
Sunlight earlier this week

announced a bid for troubled

Spring Grove, a laundry and linen

hire group, in competition with Pritchard Services which had, a

The whole confusing, but

intriguing situation revolves around a jockeying for position in

the race to win an increasing

number of cleaning contracts in a

sector worth up to £5,000m a

The terms of Brengreen's all-

share offer are five of its shares for

every two Sunlight. The offer is dependent of Sunlight not gaining

control of Spring Grove.

Morgan Grenfell, the merchant
bank, is Brengreen's financial

adviser, and is offering to buy

back some Brengreen stock from Sunlight shareholders who accept

The board of Cope Allman

International, the packaging and leisure group, yesterday expressed

its concern over the Takeover

Panel ruling which allowed

Hawley Group to make a tender

Mr Louis Manson, chairman of

Cope Allman, said that he had

asked the panel to make a ruling

on the implications of its

week earlier, reached agreeme to takeover Spring Grove.

eventually more money from the year.

One New York banker said that was over the de-indexing of the is unexpected departure called economy. Limiting wage rises to to question whether the letter of 80 per cent of inflation is a key his unexpected departure called into question whether the letter of ment could be signed by that part of the new IMF programme, date. "It was another unsettling but Senhor Langoni is said to factor" Scabor Langoni is said to have not bear the whole brunt of

disagreed sharply with colleagues over the latest IMF demands which he considered unrealistic. The IMF is believed to want inflation cut to 55 per cent in 1984 from the present level of 150 per cent, the elimination of the public sector deficit and a visible trade surplus of \$8bn. This would involve massive cuts in public

Senhor Langoni is understood to have felt that the measures are far too tough and would lead to an

Brengreen bids for Sunlight as

cleaning battle intensifies

Evans: Says Sunlight tried to

the offer. Grenfell is also advises

to Sunlight's competitor for

Spring Grove, Pritchard Services.

light has inadvertently helped

raise the value of Sunlight's offer

for Spring Grove by more than 10p a share and 20p a share more

The stock market has taken a

cantious view of the situation by

pegging the share prices of those

involved well below the offer terms of the different bids.

Cope seeks ruling on Hawley offer

Wickins, chairman of British Car

Auctions, with a 13.6 per cent

stake in Cope, could win control

of the company without making a

full bid.

The Cope Allman board fears to see the panel this afternoon". that Mr Michael Ashcroft's "We wish to establish that they Hawley Group and Mr David cannot obtain control without Wickins, chairman of British Car making a full bid".

The Takeover Panel says that it the profit before tax and extra

has been given firm assurances ordinary items in the second half that Mr Ashcroft and Mr Wickins of the year was substantially in

are not acting together. However, advance of the previous forecast Mr Manson said: "We have been of £2.6m.

than that offered by Pritchard.

The bank's valuation of Sun-

Another area of disagreement have felt that wage earners should

reducine inflation. The proposed agreement with the IMF has come under increasing attack from businessmen and from opposition parties as well as from within the Government's own party. Critics have said it will do nothing to solve Brazil's fundamental problems and is a short-term expedi-

This view was echoed yesterday by the former finance minister, Senhor Carlos Rischbieter, who

Office of Fair Trading to refer the

merger in the clearing sector last

June. Mr David Evans, chairman o

for Spring Grove was made to

Mr John Ivey, chief executive

of Sunlight, denies the claim

saying that Mr Evans made no

reference to a bid but merely pointed to the benefits from a

getting together". Sunlight, a

gger company than Brengreen.

Sitting ominiously in the

background is the BET conglom-erate. That company holds 40 per

cent of Initial Services, the biggest

company in the sector, has a

majority stake in Advance

Services, ranked number six, and

Sector analysis feel that if the

Monopolies Commission decides

to allow market forces free rein

In a further attempt to thwart

any takeover attempt, Cope told shareholders that its results for

the year to July 2, will show that

has 6 per cent of Sunlight.

to wait 10 days for a reply.

has rejected the offer.

resigned in 1979 and is now chairman of Volvo do Brazil. He said in Austria yesterday that default by Brazil was virtually inevitable under the presen system of rescheduling. Brazil's foreign debt was nearer \$110bn rather than the common esti mation of \$90bn, he said. The Brazilian Government was

believed last night to be moving fast to appoint a successor to Senhor Langoni. There speculation in London that the new head would be well-known in Bankers in London said yester

day that it was uncertain how Senhor Langoni's resignatio would effect negotiations with the Brazilians, "He was regarded as difficult and arrogant and a lo of bankers don't like him to go".

By Andrew Cornelius

Monopolies Commission. The commission blocked attempts at a United Newspapers
Half-year/30.6.83
Pretax profit 24.5m (£3.3m)
Stated earnings 12.7p (8.4p)
Turnover £53.2m (£47.1m
Net interim/dividend 5p (4.5p)
Share price 245p down 27p Yield
0.72% Brengreen, said that Sunlight's bid deter him, claiming that he told Sunlight of his intentions on Friday of last week and was asked

United Newspapers, publishers

The acquisition will be funded by a £29.5m fully underwritten rights issue of 14,728,956 ordinary shares on a two for three basis at 210p a share. Gralla was founded by Larry and Milton Gralla, brothers, in 1955 and publishes magazines such as Bank Systems & Equipment, and Health Care Systems in the

sition by United within a year.

ame stage last year, on a turnover of £53.2m, up by 12 per cent. The improved profits stem from a first time contribution from PR Newswire and the cost savings from the closure of the Doncaster Evening Post.

## **US** deal for United Newspapers

Dividend payable 3.11.83

of Punch, the Yorkshire Post, and 60 other newspapers and magazines, announced yesterday a £29m deal to acquire Galla Publications Inc in New York, which publishes 15 national business and trade magazines

United States. The Gralla business has grown

by 20 per cent a year since it was founded and will continue to be run by the existing management Gralla is the third US acqui-

Last September it bought PR Newswire from Western Union Corp, for \$9.5m and in July Mediawire Corp in United made pretax profits of

E4.3m, up by 67 per cent on the

Monetary System for the relationship between sterling and the EEC currencies is now most vital for ditions and despite the the real economy of imports traumas of bad debts, these and exports. But the message is clear enough. What non-inter-

vention in this case has achieved is relative stability. That is what the Bank of England and the Treasupolicy for the pound, rather economic models.

The figures for the change than targeting any particuin Britain's gold and lar exchange rate as being good for inflation or good for industry.

during August are not, to be frank, terribly exciting. For It is now generally accepted that letting the the record, they rose by just \$69m (£44.8) to just under \$18,000m (£11,688m) and pound rise so fast in 1981 was both unnecessary and after netting out new public heavily damaging to indussector borrowing and repaytry. At the same time it is ments, the rise is a nuganow becoming equally clear tory \$28m (£18m). Yet that mexciting figure should be that a fall in sterling to aid industry would be equally a cause for some modest satisfaction - and not only

Britain's exports have been falling this year. It is a worrying trend, though entirely to be expected after the wholesale depression and rationalization that our manufacturers have been undergoing. However desirable it may seem, it is pointless to expect exports to take over the reins of faltering economic recov-

Our exports to the United States are doing well, partly no doubt because of the favourable exchange rate, but mainly because of the rapid recovery of the American economy. By contrast, exports to sluggish Europe and developing cash-starved countries have been poor.

But, as Wednesday's revision of the trade figures showed, invisible exports have really been making has happened any great the going. This is surely no argument for Britain to accident. Banks, insurance eschew the European and all those other financial services have been prospering under more stable domestic monetary consuccessful businesses have been expanding their exports from strength.

strength by policies of stability rather than those that may look good when ry should aim at as their you fiddle about with the

## Profit-taking hits dollar

Soviet bankers shunned the oreign exchange markets yesterday where trade was quiet and the dollar eased back from initial high evels on profit taking.

Dealers said the bankers,

normally quite active in the market, were noticeably absent vesterdav.

incident caused the dollar to rise in overseas trading, but the reaction subsided in European markets, pending further details.

Interest switched to the forecast of US morey supply figures. The dollar was quoted at 2.6995 against the Mark and closed 1.4955 against Sterling.

Meanwhile in the London stock market the Financial Times Index of 30 top shares closed off its index showed signs of dropping through the 700 level, but it rallied on late buying. It ended down 2.8 points at 705.8.

TOP PERFORMING

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## Airline shooting lifts **US** defence shares

New York (AP-Dow Jones) - make money. The bigger com-Stocks moved higher in early panies and the plebian companies trading yesterday as investors prepared for the long Labour Day holiday weekend and waited for the government's latest money

supply figures.
The Dow Jones Industrial everage was up 6 at 1,212, with a broad list of gains. Advancing issues led declines

by a 7-to-4 margin, Mr Newton Zinder, first vicepresident at E F Hutton & Co, said: The market shows a positive tone. The session just before the Labour Day holiday has been an up day in 75 per cent of the years since the start of the century. But

it is usually a light volume day". Mr Sidney Lurie, executive vice-president at Josephthal said: The international situation - the Korean plane attack and the fighting in Lebanon are both drawing attention to the fact that common stocks in the United States are the most undervalued assets in the world. And investors

and the basic values are the

exciting areas today".

Moreover, Mr Lurie said: "The Fed is not going to clamp down

unchanged; General Motors 72%, up %; Ford 59%, up %; Chrysler 29, up %; Texas Instruments 115%, down %; American Telephone & Telegraph 65½, un-changed; International Business Machines 119, up %; Merck 92¼, up ½; and Honeywell 121, down

Aydin was up 1% at 48%; Teledyne up 1% at 160%; Seuthern Pacific down 1 at 39%; General Dynamics up 2½ to 51; Digital Equipment down 1 at 103½; Schlumberger up 1½ to 59½; McDoanell Douglas up 2½ at 51%; Union Pacific unchanged at 55%; and Baxter Travenol up %

## New oil well in Australia

Melbourne (Reuter) - The Jabiru One, a well about 300 of Australia, could hold more than 100 million barrels and could join Bass Strait and Cooper Basin as an important oil-producing region, analysts said yester-

Broken Hill Proprietary Company said a wireline formation in the well recovered 2,600 cubic centimetres (cc) of oil, 800cc of water and 7.8 cubic feet of gas from a depth of 1,602 metres. A Sydney-based oil analyst said that oil quality in Jabiru was superior to the Bass Strait fields Jabiru has a minimum of 100 barrels but has the potential to exceed 200 million

barreis", he said. Mr Stuart McKibbin, Melbourne broker A C Goode and Co, said: "The sands are

don't need the exotic things to

## boosts hopes

absolutely fantastic. It has textbook oil reserves like the Middle He added that the oil could be Pensice was the most active recovered with the latest tech issue, down ¼ to 33%; Texas nology even though it was fa Utilities followed, down ¼ to 23%. recovered with the latest tech-

Judges and lawyers to settle trade disputes

## Arabs welcome arbitration panel

Sir Richard Beaumont, formerly the British ambassador in Morocco, Iraq and Egypt, will shortly name a dozen judges and lawyers to arbitrate in trade disputes between Britain and the Arab world.

The panel will be drawn equally from Britain and the Arab countries, and will be mirrored by institutions in eight other Euro-Dean countries...

Sir Richard, who became the first non-Arab chairman of the Arab-British Chamber of Commerce three years ago, said: "Although the arbitration system has theoretically been in place since January having been called for at a meeting between the Arab League and Joint Arab-Foreign Chambers in Tunis in June 1981 we have only now reached the point where we are going to name

the panel members. "Two will be elected to a higher board in Paris, where there will be a secretariat and registry, which will hold a pool of 1,000 lawyers and international trade specialists

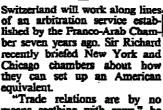
to act as investigators. "The arbitration service will resolve disputes across the whole rose to 1,176 from 852 last year. range of commercial contracts,



Beaumout: taking on a range of although I believe that it may be

than by governments. its rulings will be legally enforceable only when recog-nition of the panel is inserted as a clause in contracts, which is to be strongly recommended to chamber members both in Europe and Arab countries, or when members give a written undertaking to

abide by its findings in the event of a subsequent dispute. Panels now being set up in Belgium. Holland, Luxemburg, Italy, Portugal, Greece and



"Trade relations are by no means seething with rows," he stressed. But given the size of business today, a clearly defined conciliation and arbitration service is sensible for all concerned." The effect of falling oil revenues

European companies will we become increasingly concerned that muti-million pound performalthough I believe that it may be ance bonds, payable on demand, more used by the private sector give a one-sided advantage to include an engineer when disputes are technical.

Arab countries have bee rates they will charge. Other bodies choose arbitrators

with less concern for nationality,

and Ambs sometimes feel up

comfortable when a Latin Ameri-

can or Far Eastern lawyer is

appointed as mediator.

of an arbitration service established by the Franco-Arab Chamber seven years ago. Sir Richard recently briefed New York and Chicago chambers about how they can set up an American

could be to increase he need. come the move. They have enstomers. A three-man team will

unhappy about the high costs of previous arbitration, although the new panels have to settle on the

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15 years	*£1,725 or £2,261	†£7,848 †£16,166	£6,283	£5,434	£7,209	\$3,188
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## Counting the cost of confusion over a couple's joint income

Mr and Mrs McLaren of allowed separate taxation they Kenilworth, Warwichshire, were would have been able to cut their horrified by a demand for nearly tax bill by about £250. £500. The form detailing their tax affairs for 1981/82, which accompanied the demand, was salaries were liable only to basic unclear about why the McLarens rate tax, but added together their ound themselves in arrears.

Mrs McLaren, who teaches English at a girls' independent school, asks: "Why are the ncome tax authorities not obliged to enclose an explanation as to the underpayment has arisen? We declare our salaries honestly, have no hidden assets and humbly accept the rating given to us each year."

McLarens were also because they had discovered that their application for senarate taxation was too late. The option of separate taxation closes on April 5 in the year after year under review. For xample, this year was the cut-off for the tax year 1981/82.

The Inland Revenue: on the outstanding money. A Revenue other hand, is allowed six years to spokesman says: "The Revenue The Inland Revenue: on the

The root of the McLarens' problem was that singly their

higher rates of tax. Mr McLaren, an English teacher at Warwick University, earned £12,062 in 1981/82, but after personal allowances and mortgage relief his taxable income was below the £11,250 cut-off for basic rate tax. Mrs McLaren carned £7,582.

But their joint income of £19,644 minus £4,560 allowances left them with £15,084 of taxable income which takes them from 30 per cent basic rate income tax, through 40 per cent to 45 per cent

The Revenue to rub salt in the wound, has the power to levy an 8 per cent rate of interest on

Pay As You Earn and then pay again. That is the nasty shock that cases of fraud or negligence when there is no time limit.

If the McLarens had been the pay has got to see that the tax is paid. If there is absolute inability to pay, the collectors have got to come to some sort of arrange-

ment."
The "Notice of Assessment and Statement of Tax Unpaid or Overraid" form which sets it all out can baffle even those quite familiar with taxation. Although the relevant figures are tabulated the discrepancy between the PAYE assessment income made them liable for

> "The forms are constantly being looked at," the Revenue spokesman says. "We are always trying to find ways of making the forms less confusing. They are as simple - or non-complicated - as they can be, given the compli-cation of the tax system," he says. But as Mrs McLaren says: "If you do not understand how you have managed to owe back tax when tax is deducted at source under PAYE, you are hardly likely to grasp the relevance of the few cryptic figures on an Inland Revenue assessment for under

Vivienne Goldsmith

#### FAMILY MONEY MARKET

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Deposit accounts - Midland,
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for withdrawals. Lloyds extra
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income account Natwest 9½ per
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National Savings Bank Ordinary accounts - interest 3 per cent, first £70 of interest tax- free. Investment Account - 11per cent interest paid without deduction of tax, one month's notice of withdrawal, maximum investment £200,000.

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Maximum investment £10,000, waxinum investment £10,000, excluding holdings of other issues. Return tax-free and linked to changes in the retail price index Supplement of 0.2 per cent per

month up to October 1983 paid to new investors; existing holders receive a 2.4 per cent supplement between October 1982 and October 1983 4 per cent bonus if held full five years to maturity. Cash value of £100 Retirement Issue certificates purchased in August 1978, £173.73 including 4 per cent bonus. **Guaranteed Income Bonds** 

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Local authority yearling bonds 12-month fixed rate investments, nterest 101/416 per cent basic rate tax deducted at source (can be reclaimed by non-taxpayers), mini-mum investment £1,000, purchased through stockbroker

Local authority town half bonds Fixed term, fixed rate investments. interest quoted gross (basic rate tax deducted at source reclaimable by non-taxpayers). I year Kingston upon Hull 10½ per cent. 2-4 years Hammersmith and Fulham 10½ - 11¼ per cent. 5 years Kingston upon Hull 11½ per cent. 6-9 years Taff Elv 11½ per cent. 10 years upon Hull 11½ per cent. 6-9 years Taff Ely 11½ per cent. 10 years Worthing 11 per cent. Further details available from Chartered Institute of Public Finance Loans Bureau (01-630 7401, after 3 pm). See also on Prestel no 24808.

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July RPI: 336.5 (The new RPI figure is not announced until the third week of the following month.)



Credit unions

## Cabbies fare well with instant loans

acility available to London taxi drivers who join the credit union run by the Licensed Taxi Drivers' Association (LTDA).

The LTDA union is now probably the biggest of the credit unions which started after the passing of the 1979 Credit Union Act. Popular overseas; particu-larly in Canada and the United States, where reportedly up to a third of the population belongs to one, they are simple savings and organizations, owned and run by their members along the lines of a building society.

Many of the fledgling credit in Britain have hit omblems with had debts and poor nanagement. We wrote several weeks go how several have been told to hold everything until they get themselves sorted out.

The LTDA union, however, eems to have the right combination of efficient manaand coherent membership to Now 1,200 cabbies are using

the union instead of a bank, attracted by simple withdrawals, easily arranged loans and an interest rate, paid annually as a dividend, which is presently 6 per

oans are restricted under the Act to a maximum of £2,000 on which the union charges interest of one per cent a month on the balance. outstanding. Usually it allows borrowings of up to twice the amounts can be raised above this

Mr Roger Lewis, the treasurer of the LTDA union says he has only two problem borrowers on

not bad going on loans outstanding of £220,000. "And I've got a field worker after them," he said.

Mr Lewis aged 40, is a big fan of the credit union idea, which he got from a magazine article on the very big operation run y the League of Mutual Taxi Owners in New York which has been going since 1934 and has US\$15m:out on loan.

He runs the union virtually single handed from the LTDA's rather scruffy offices near Westhourne Park. This is also the base of his loans committee, all of whom work for te Association, know their members well and are in regular touch with them.

This is why it works. If we don't know a chap who wants a loan we ask for a guarantor who'll be another member that we do know," says Mr Lewis. The other-important thing is "they know that to knock the union is to knock their own business. To be a cab proprietor you've got to be 100 per cent kosher". A bad payr could find problems when it comes to renewing his cabbies'

For cab drivers the ready availability of lans is very important. "If they need money, most working guys want it now, not next week", David Smith, a cabbie aged 50, points out. He has been paying, with his partner, a regular £80 pe month into the

Union since it started.
Their main aim is to have the cash available for running repairs amount saved but smaller and regular overhauls on their .cab. Days spent waiting for the cash for such purposes can, he points out, mean days out of work for the driver with a garaged

or more and Mr Smith also reckons to renew his cab every two to three years which means around £2,000 to find after selling the old one.

He used to put a regular amount away in a bank current account. "Then I saw the light. This is a much better deal - you don't get any interest at the bank for a start," he said.

He doubts whether he would have got a loan from his bank either - he never needed one - but has borrowed £500 from the union without any problem.

The purpose of the union is to provide for savers like Mr Smith, but many members borrow for other purposes like holidays, furnishings and the big household bills that can crop up in the lean winter season.

The maximum interest which credit uniions are allowed to pay under the Act is 8 per cent but Mr Lewis decided to start cautiously to ensure cover for running costs, particularly setting the operation computerised, which he regards as a key feature of its success.

voluntary basis have to do a lot of paper work which is a very boring, very time consuming chore and this is a problem for some of them," he said.

He uses a system run by the Credit Union League, for 25 pence per member allows him to send figures to the computer twice month to keep his own accounting up to date, and provides members with a quar-

Susan Bevan



UK and US stock markets are reflecting economic recovery prospects

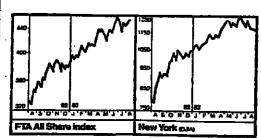
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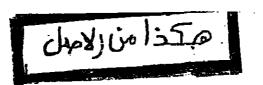
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#### Friendly societies

### FAMILY MONEY edited by Lorna Bourke

#### Private education

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One in four of all householders have no insurance for their house contents. according to the British Insurance Association which has just published its free leaflet, a Guide to Home Contents

"It is sad to think that some people will be unable to replace possessions that are damaged or lost through fire, flood or theft when they could have been protected against these events and many others by arranging adequate home contents insurance," a BIA spokesman.

Commented.
Copies of the leaflet are available from Department H. British Insurance Association, Attermery House, Queen Street, London EC4H T.U. A stamped and addressed envelope should be enclosed.

#### Term share chaos 🤝

The flood of building society term shares on offer is creating confusion among investors. Best buys are not the offerings of the big five societies - go for the smaller ones like Greenwich, which is paying 9.25 per cent basic rate tax paid, compared with 9.0 per cent from most other societies. Greenwich also pays interest half-yearly as opposed to amually and if this is reinvested, the compounded return works out at 9.46

per cent. Minimum investment is £1,000.
Hemel Hempstead Building Society is also paying 9.25 per cent, interest compounded arguelly with a minimum investment of £1,000. Town and Country Building Society has a low minimum investment of £500 and compounds interest half-yearly, giving an annual return of 9.2 per cent.

Pension problems Paying premiums to a self-employed pension policy when you are sick and unable to work can be a problem. Clerical Medical and General has introduced a waiver of premium during periods of incapacity on its policy which ensures

that all pension and death-before-retirement benefits under the contract are paid as if the premiums had been received in him. received in full.

The waiver does not come into effect until the policyholder has been sick for at least six months, but continues until incapacity ceases, or nintil death or

thement. The cost of this benefit varies according to age and occupation, between 1/2 per cent and 4 per cent of premium for what is described as "northeardous" occupations.

#### Family favourite

There are substantial personal tax benefits in making careful use of the new provisions which allow a private company to buy back its own shares say Dearden Farrow the accountants, in their latest bookdet Getting Your Own Back.
The situation may arise where one shareholder wishes to sell shares but the others cannot afford to buy them, the bookdet save 1 lockers to a booklet says. Under the old rules this meant that shares might pass outside the family or an unwiking shareholder could be locked into the company.

The inland Revenue will now give clearance to a company purchasing its own shares in such circumstances if it is shown that the transaction is wholly or. mainly for the benefit of the company's trade. There are, however, several restrictions to ensure that the transaction is not used as a vehicle for tax avoidance, the booklet says. Copies of Getting Your Own Back are available from Deardan Farrow, 1 Serjeant's Inn, London EG4Y 1.JD.

**Growth portfolio** 

Investment adviser Mr Peter Hargreavas is recommending four unit trusts for investors needing capital growth and some income. The portfolio comprises Schroder Income, Henderson income and Growth, Mercury Income and recovery, and S. & P. Smaller Companies Income. The estimated yield is about 5

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and the reporting of small judgments in
the county counts will not save any public expenditure, and will, if accepted, raise prices, according to the institute of Credit

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"We this traders pay for the balliffs' work
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Proposals to raise the level at which
the courte report unpaid judgments from
£10 to £50 is criticized by the ICM, which
says that the bigher level will lead to
tougher credit policies and higher costs

#### Shares out

Cheltenham & Gloucester Building Society, which effectively broke the building societies' cartel when it introduced its Cheltenham Gold account. is not issuing the new two-year term ...

"I cannot believe that Investors really want to tie up their money for two years or to give three months' notice and lose a quarter of a year's interest to get their own money back again." Mr Andrew Longhurst, managing director of Cheltenham and Gloucester, said. "The cost to investors of early withdrawel is too often played down in advertising. As an example, an investment of £5,000 withdrawn after one year would lose £113 of the £450 interest

Mr Longhurst sees as a more attractive investment vehicle, pays 8.25 per cent net of basic rate tax on investments of £1,000 or more with no penalties on withdrawal.

#### Extended range

insurers Legal and General are extending their range of unit trusts with the launch of a new International Managed Trust investing in a selection of nternational securities. L. and G. already runs equity and gilt trusts. Minimum investment in the new fund will be



 Dubounet, ridden by Carol Baker, is the bay mure whose head graces the proposal forms for both selective horse and horse-plus insurance from Norwich

#### Courses for horses

Package insurance is fine in most cases, Package insurance is the in most cases, but there are still situations where flexibility is needed. Insuring horses is a tricky business, and Norwich Union has just introduced a policy which gives owners the ability to choose the type of cover required. Called Selective Horse Insurance, it provides cover for vets fees an extensional extra as an optional extra.

"Vets fees form by far the most

numerous category of claims under horse policies and cost more in total than claims for death or permanent loss of use", Norwich Union says. Up to £500 worth of yets' fees (with the policyholder earing the first £25 of each cla £15 per horse, death cover for a £1,000 k works out at £35 or £212.50 for a £5.000 showlumper.

Investments in friendly societies are very tax efficient. Tax relief at

the 15 per cent life assurance rate is allowed on the primiums paid, and the friendly society itself, like

a pension fund, is a tax-free fund.

Your investment should roll up rather faster than with a conventional, fax paying, insurance

Family Assurance has gone one better in a tie up with Norwich Union which gives you the oppurtunity of funding annual

#### Maximum interest

A maximum interest bond from Chase de Vere, the investment advisors, pays a guaranteed 2.1 points over the Building Societies Association ordinary share rate of 7.25 per cent, giving a return of 9.35 per cent, basic rate tax paid, over a two-

The differential over the BSA recommended rate is guaranteed but, of course, if building society rates go up or down, the return from the bond will move in line. Money is invested in City of Wastminster Assurance -- a United Kingdom based insurance company -- which gives investors full protection under the Policyholders Protection Act. Minimum investment is 22,500 with a 220,000 -- protection.

## Esher's high return Investors looking for the best return from a building society should try Esher Insurance Services, a registered insurance broker which provides the in-

house mortgage service for Mann & Co,

estine agents.

Esher is offering return of 9.5 per cent basic rate tax paid on building society investments of only a year.

Mr Jeremy Agace, the chairman, explains that the money is invested with smaller societies which pay 8.5 per cent smaller societies written pay and on their ordinary account money and on their ordinary account money and the commission of 1 per cent to the investor, provided the money is left in the account for a minimum of 12 months. Esher Insurance Services, 70 High Street, Esher. Tel: Esher 670731.

#### Unit trust launch

Tax-efficient savings for

those who can wait

scheme from a lump sum investment with Norwich Union.

A lump sum investment of £1,725 is enough to fund the 10 annual

the full term) for a family bond.

Based on a fairly modest projected growth rate for the family bond of

ns of £226.10 (£2,261 over

ns on a family assurance 12 per cent a year, the initial lump

som investment would be worth £4,426 at the end of the 10-year.

the policy is taken directly from the policyholder's lump-sum in-vestment and the balance is used

to buy a temporary annuity from

A new unit trust from the Crown stable was launched yesterday. Crown American Trust aims to maximize capital growth through investment in the United States market and will have an initial starting yield of 1.47 per cent.

Crown also runs a Growth Trust and High Income Trust.

#### Guaranteed offer

tr you are prepared to tie up your savings for 10 years. Providence Capitol is offering a guaranteed return of 9 per cent, not of basic rate tax. Investmen are returned in full at the end of 10 years. The bond is available to anyone between the ages of 18 and 85. Minimum estment is £2,500 and income is paid annually, but for investments of £5,000 or more, you can opt to take the income.

half-yearly.

The full amount of the original investment is refunded if the investor dies before the ten-year period.

#### **Henderson wins**

Top performing unit trust group in each year over one to seven in Henderson Administration, according to figures published by *Planned Savings* magazine The figures average the performance of all trusts in the leading 15 group.

#### Free money offer

Child savers are the newest target of the banks and Barcays is promoting its scheme in a big way. In a link with Procter and Gambie, the household products manufacturer, Barclays is offering up to five "savings" vouchers, worth £1 each, to children who collect "proof of purchase" labels from Procter and Gamble products and open a Supersavers account with Barclays.

For each "proof of purchase" lable from Ariel, Ariel Automatic, Fairy Liquid, Lenor and Crest toothpaste, the child mist deposit £1 in the Supersaver account and the bank will then match it. pound for pound, up to a maximum of 25. The free money and matcing deposit must stay in the account for a minimum of six months. If it is withdrawn, the child

receives only his own deposit.
Interest on the account is the same as for seven-day deposits, 6 per cent. This does not compare will with Lloyds, which pays 8 per ce on its children's savings account.

Norwich Union which will pay out

an annual sum sufficient to meet

the remaining premiums under the family assurance policy. The return on the annuity is a not 6.6

Anyone contemplating an Investment must bear in used that friendly society investments are

for a minimum of 10 years. If you want to cash in before that, the

society is not allowed to pay out

any more than the value of your premiums already paid.

### Fires, flat tyres and damned statistics

One house in every 28 was a target for criminals last year, a house is broken into every 90 s; one in 30 home suffers fire damage each year and a fire occurs every two minutes in Britain. These sobering statistics come from General Accident as part of its campaign to persuade home-owners to obtain adequate

"Last year, according to the British Insurance Association, household burglary cost in-surers a staggering £137.9m," General Accident says. "In 1982, our own theft claims from private houses cost us £17m up 30 per cent from £13m in 1981."

Motorists seem just as valuerable. "If present trends continue, two out of every nine General Accident motor policyolders will make a claim 1983 compared with two out of every 11 in 1981." A surprising 1.5 million motorists have no insurance and are driving

illegally. British Road Federation figures reveal that the average cost of a fatal accident increased to £149,200 in the six years to 1981 - up 72 per cent. Estimates of the cost of these accidents in £1981 were: lost out put, £660m; police and administration, £110m; medical and ambulance, £68m; damage to property £820m.

The Department of Transport says: "over 13.5 million cars are subject to complasory annual Ministry of Transport testing. Of the 5 million which fail, about one fifth are failing because of defective brakes." Faulty steering accounts for 16.6 per cent of failures, lights. 13.46 per cent and dangerous tyres, 5.7 per cent.

#### School fees

## A choice between private education and cash lump sum

Which would you rather have had, a public school education or £100.000 when you left school? Given this choice most children would undoubtedly choose money and it is difficult to argue that a public school education would give a child a better start in life than £100,000 in cash.

Yet that is the sum that parents now educating children privately could provide for their offspring if they were to invest the money would otherwise spend on school fees:

Fees will probably work out at 1 school hat an average of £3,100 a year for 1 tie. Five years at a prep school and an 6 pairs school knickers average of £5,000 a year for five at 22.45 shoa bags, laundry bags, sundries

M & G, the investment group, calculates that if these si invested in a range of its funds producing a modest 7.5 per cent annually over 10 years this would produce a cash-in value of If the return is an average of 12.5 per cent a year the figure rises to £71,908. If the return is an average of 12.5 per cent a year the figure rises to

But even more impressive, a parent who actually took this terms. course 10 years ago and invested,

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fade into insignificance in earning

on a quarterly basis, £3,000 education shows no sign of annually for five years and £5,000 waning. The margher of parents annually for five years in M&G's dissatisfied with the state estem Second General Fund would be is increasing", reports Miss

### Cost of School

1 pair sandais 1 pair gym shoes

years ago would not have been so high, but these are sobering figures. Presumably the motivation of most parents in educating their children privately is to ensure that they will get a good living. With £100,000 behind a child at age 18, the number of O

Yet the popularity of private Second General Fund would be is increasing, apports Miss able to hand an offspring Charlotte Muchell, a director of currently leaving school £105,182 Truman & Knightley, the educash. This is equivalent to an cational consultants, annual return of 20.2 per cent.

Fees for day papers at a prep Admittedly, school fees 10 school like Westminster Under

## SCHOOL FEES SPECIALISTS:

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Comment Wide Range of Schemes

Specializes in Capital plans using educational trusts. Does not use unit-linked schen Wide range of schemes including irrendly society anked plans.

"School work out at £635 a term £1,905 a year - and the waiting

"Loadon day-schools are par-ticularly heavily oversubscribed", 27.75 says Miss Mitchell. How do 62.05 6 parents afford this sort of outlay? "There are still a surprising number of people who do pay school fees out of income", she

Basic fees are only part of the problem for day-pupils but they can mount up for boarders. But I do think schools are being much more realistic about uniforms 245 - these days beers Miss Mitchell

14,79 C. Howard, a school fees specialist, reports booming busi-25.00 ness in investment advice for parents.

parents leave things until it is too late," says Mr Gilbert McNeil

Despite the mystery which surrounds these plans, most schemes are a combination of standard insurance policies. "The average person who comes to us has only £4,000 to £5,000 in capital to invest, but if they come early enough, we can help", says Mr McNeil Moss.

What fees could be provided out of an investment of £10,000 now, with fees starting in five years' time? Mr McNeil Moss calculates that a total of £20.980 in fees, starting in September 1988 and running through to July 1993 would be a reasonabl assumption. He recommends a mixture of a conventional with profits endowment policy, a unit linked plan, and an insurance-linked building society invest-

For the with profits policy we would him. Scottish Provident became trives a guaranteed cash five years. The ma years. The major go into Standard Life's d maximum investmen plan the balance in Zurich

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final salary types - is advocated by Mr Walter Goldsmith, director-general of the Institute of Directors. He suggests that company pension funds should allow the value of each individnal's investment to be evaluated. in an insurance publication,
Mr. Goldsmith says: "Companies,
often despair of the degree to
which employees fail to take into account in their remuneration kage the value of non-pay

Mr Goldsmith would also like employees to be given the right to make additional voluntary continuities to their pension fund. At would be unleased on a massive scale. A wider interest in the

On larging a company, emwould be identified. In particular, ployees should be entitled to the any Socialist plans to take control full values of their units and be of pension funds would receive offered price options. Mr Gold short shrift from 15 million smith suggests. The funds could owners," Mr Goldsmith says.

"The political advantages of these proposals are clear. While

success of industry and commerce

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first signs are that the American Growth Trust is already beginning to live up to expectations.

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## Alcan makes the most of aluminium boom

News that Alcan Aluminium of Canada is seeking to raise upwards of C\$250m (£135m) by placing 7 million shares in Canada, the United States and Europe is symptomatic of the sharp revival in investment interest that the aluminium power cost base of all the big industry has experienced over the

It was only 14 months ago that
Alcan shares were trading at a low of around C\$21. But recently they hit an all-time peak of C\$49.
Followers of the London Metal
Exchange have surched in the seven during the very depths of the recession, to achieve \$2 per cent capacity utilization when more marginal cost producers such as Alcoa, for so long considered the blue chip Exchange have watched in amazement as the price of aluminium has soured to the unprecedented position where, at around £1,100 a tonne, the metal costs more than copper.

though there are plenty of indications that this might indeed occur over the next two to three years, but that the smelting industry, which is run worldwide by a few giant companies, was extremely hard-nosed in cutting capacity in the early years of the

But the industry's enthusiasm got the better of it. Now it does not have enough capacity left to satisfy even today's by-no-means buoyant demand. With the metal price rising daily, the industry's earnings look likely to soar and its constituent companies are rapidly taking their big investment projects office.

power cost base of all the big producers.

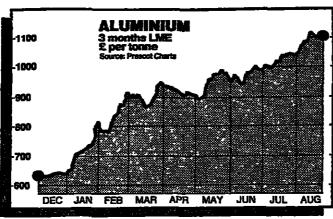
This enabled it, even during the cost producers such as Alcoa, for so long considered the blue chip of the sector, were forced to sink below 70 per cent.

In other words, it is argued, success in aluminium is much more to do with power costs than location and technology. Hence The reason for this is not so much that there has been any big revival in demand for aluminium, though there are plenty of Alcan has for long had capacity

#### **Hamilton Oil**

Hamilton Oil GP Half-year/Year to 30.6.1983 Pretax profit £9.06m (£13.04m) Stated earnings 705p (1208p)
Turnover £19,145m (20,223m)
Net interim/final dividend none
Share price 223p Yield n/a Dividend payable n/a

The haif year results from Hamilton Oil GB yesterday do not give much of a clue to the company's future prospects with most of the smaller exploration companies. The figures show that



pretax profits were down from £13m to £9.1m, largely reflecting anticipated lower production from the Argyll field in the North Sea, the company's major produc-ing asset. Oil prices were also cut in the first half.

Since the company accquired the exploration portfolio of its sister company Hamilton Oil International in March, however, its share price has steamed ahead from 125p to yesterday's closing price of 223p. At that level it is just 12p off the year's and indeed the all-time high.

The advance reflects both the general improved climate for oil prices and North Sea development activity, and Hamilton's own success with drilling on its Bruce and Argyll prospects in the North Sea. The company has submitted plans to develop the

Duncan field and is likely to gain approval soon, as well as for the Bunter complex of gas fields in the southern sector of the North

The effect of all this heightened activity will be to help guarantee some continuity of earning power from 1985 onwards, w when the original Argyll find will be in full decline, as a producing asset.

the latest well on the Bruce gas condensate field. Tests on a possible extension to the field are expected to be announced this

a modest discount to their payment this year of 11.4p. But it estimated asset value. estimated asset value.

#### Church

Half-year/year to 30-8-83
Pretax profit £1.05m (£581,000)
Stated earnings 15p (7.6p)
Turnover £20.1m (£17.47m)
Net Interim dividend 3p (2.5p)
Share price 320p + 25p Yield

Church & Co, the Nottingham based maker and retailer of top range shoes, seems to be moving off the profits plateau on which it has sat for three years.

ironically, for a company earning around 29 per cent of profits from the US, its improved performance in the first half has not come directly from the depreciated pound. The benefit to Church of the strong dollar was the flood of American tourists are boosting sales in Church's London stores.

So in the six months to the end of June, pretax profits more than doubled from £581,000 to £1.05m, earned on sales which rose from £17.47m to £20.14m. The figures topped best expec-

But the key to the company's tations of analysis and pushed the share price in the immediate shares up 25p to a 320p, a record future is likely to be results form for the year. Analysts are now for the year. Analysts are now suggesting full year profits of around £2.6m against a previous £1.85m. Shareholders' pockets will also be warmed by Church raising the dividend 20 per cent to The shares have rallied to the point where they are now only at dividend would give a net total

the year.

Church cautions those who think this year's profits are likely to return to the consumer boom at £3m. The company points out, however, that 1984 should reflect the benefit of rationalization of the group and its phased introduction of some fashion footwear, appealing to the young-

Retail shares in the UK, patchy because of the wet spring and more recent hot summer, are still ad of 1982. The second half is traditionally the better profit producer for Church, 32 years as a family dominated public company. It is showing encouraging signs of sustained growth.

#### Stock Futures

The biggest contemporary market craze in America is not Wall Street, commodities or even money funds. It is stock index futures. But while exchanges across the nation are scrambling to have their proposals accepted by the regulatory authorities, in Britain the idea is still confined to a small band of cognescenti.

Pressure is mounting, however, and officially and unofficially the idea is being aired at the London International Financial Futures Exchange.

Among the most interested

parties are, perhaps not surprisingly, the jobbers, for whom the chance to lay off the risks inherent in carrying lines of stock is hardly to be missed.

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## **Swedish firm to invest** \$15m in US offshoot

(formerly AB Fortia), the Swedish medical sciences company, has filed a registration statement with the Securities and Exchange depositary shares to be offered Commission relating to the public reflect the company's previouslyoffering of 2 million American depositary shares, representing I million of its non-restricted "B"

The offering is planned to be made as soon as possible after the registration statement becomes effective and will be underwritten

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Lloyds Bank ..... 91/2

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New York - Pharmacia AB by a group managed by Morgan ormerly AB Fortia), the Swedish Stanley and Co.

The 2 million American announced two-for-one split of its American depositary shares. Net proceeds from the sale will

be used for general corporate purposes, including expected additional requirements for work-ing capital, research and development and capital expenditure caused by anticipated growth of the company's business. The company expects to invest about \$15m (£10) in its United States subsidiary. Pahrmacia Inc, acquire additional land and cancel debt. Pending this, some or all of the proceeds may be held in shortterm investments.

Pharmacia is an international company based in Sweden which develops, produces and sells separation products and techniques, diagnostics and pharmaceuticals. It is a leader in the development and supply of chemicals, apparatus and systems for the separation or purification of biological substances.

Pharmacia also has a leading position worldwide in the sale of kits for in vitro diagnosis and drug, Azulfidine, most widely used for the treatment of ulcerative cioitis, a chronic intestinal disease.

#### **COMPANY NEWS** IN BRIEF

Sheldon Jones Pretax profit £9448,000 (£850.000) Stated earnings 11.2p (13.3p) Turnover £17.1m (£13.4m) Net dividend 4.35p (3.9p)

R and H Hall Half-year to 30.6.83 Pretax profit £1.2m (£865,000) Stated earnings 5p (3.9p) Turnover £75.6m (£78.1m) Net interim dividend 1p (0.75p)

Half-year to 31.3.63 Pretax loss £91,000 (£57,000) Loss per share 0.33p (0.22p) Turnover £259m (£208m) Net interim dividend None

Meelerware International Half-year to 30.6.83

Pretax profit £263,000 (£61,000) Stated earnings 2.7p (1.1p) Turnover £2.7m (£2m) Net interim dividend 0.84p George Armitage & Sons Half-year to 30.6.83 Pretax profit £550,000 (£35,000)

Stated earnings 21.1p (loss 1p) Turnover £6m (£4.8m) Net interim dividend 5p (2.5p) Whitworth Electric (Holdings) Year to 31.3.83 Pretax profit £483,000 (£690,000) Stated earnings 9.2p (15.5p) Turnover £15.8m (£15.1m)

Net dividend 30.2% (same) James Dickie & Co Pretax profit £17,000 (£25,000) Stated earnings 0.43p (0.64p) Turnover £1.9m (£2.1m) Net interim dividend 1.5p (same)

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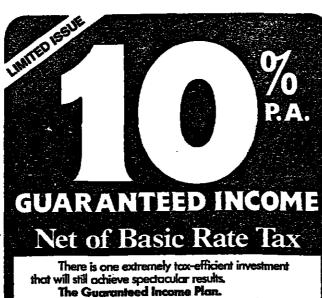
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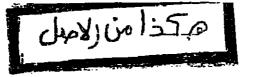
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FOOTBALL: 100 PER CENT RECORDS MAY NOT SURVIVE THE WEEKEND

## Gunners firing at the fortress

By Stuart Jones Football Correspondent After a mere three hours only Arsenal, Aston Villa, Notts County and West Ham United have yet to drop a point in the first division. By tonight all four records might have been broken, along with the promise of an early breakaway in the

championship race.
The arrival of Nicholas has enhanced the title hopes of Arsenal but the defences of Luton Town and Wolverhampton Wanderers, their opponents to date, are in sheds in comparison to the stony fortress, at Southampton, where they play today. The main guard there is Shilton and he has yet to concede a

The appearance of Nicholas should guarantee a capacity crowd at the Dell but, further along the south coast, one anonymous Brighton supporter has other ideas of attracting a big gate for the visit of Chelsea. He spent an estimated 44.500 for a four-page advertisment

in the local paper Aston Villa will probably play in front of a full house. They are to open Queens Park Rangers' home programme, the first time the artificial surface at Loftus Road will have been used for a first division fixture. Tony Barton prepared his Villa side by training on a similar surface.

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Notes County, annually con-



Archibald: painful exit

sidered relegation candidates, are the only club of the successful quartet at home but they will not care to dwell too long on the care to dwell too long on the memory of last season's corresponding result against lpswich Town. They lost 6-0. Larry Lloyd, their new manager, is confident that "history will not repeat inself". West Ham make the short journey across London to meet opponents who were expected to be among the front-runners. But little

among the front-runners. But little has gone right for Tottenham Hotspur or their manager, Keith



Ramsbottom: veteran

Burkinshaw. Now one of his main strikers, Brazil, is injured and the other. Archibald, yesterday asked It is said that some of Archibald's

It is said that some of Archibald's injury complaints have not always been genuine and, in spite of the opinion of two chib physiotherapists that he was fit to continue against Coventry City last Monday, he took himself off with 20 minutes left. An irate Burkinshaw relaces him with Crooks, who is sure to provide more present with Falco. provide more urgency with Falco.

Manchester. United's start has

also been disappointing but Whiteside, who was expected to be
"rested" at Stock City, keeps his
place. Ron Atkinson, believing that
there is "no reason for wholesale
changes", is forced to make one.
Gidman comes in for the injured
Duxbury, the only representative to appear in all 60 games last season.

Liverpool will mark the opening of their home fixtures with the closing of their former manager's closing of their former manager's career. Before the game against Nottingham Forest, Bob Paisley will collect the manager of the year award for the sixth time from Bell's whisky. "This will definitely be my final farewell", Paisley said.

Liverpool will be unchanged but not so Watford, Graham Taylor estimates that he may have used 17 players by the end of their third game. Matters could be worse. game. Matters cours of motion of Carlisle united's choice is limited to

Derby County's team sheet has

## only one name on it yesterday and Bournemouth are to employ a stand-in goalkeeper who made his debut in 1967. Ramsbottom is 37. Best a saint?

George Best is wanted by the Isthmian League club, St Albans City, whose manager John Mitchell, Best's former Fulham team-colleg-

#### **RUGBY UNION: HOME INTERNATIONAL POSERS**

## Ghost squads may haunt the selectors

The selectors of all four home countries (not to mention France) ill find themselves in an invidious osition during the first half of the countries (not to mention France) will find themselves in an invidious position during the first half of the 1983-84 season. They cannot do anything but choose one team they would like to field in the international championship and a second team they may be forced to field should the proposed pro-fessional tournament become fact. It has often been said that selectors choose several 'shadow' XVs but this time the shadows have a hard

It will be painful indeed to spend four months looking at potential internationals, picking a side to play New Zealand and then finding the bulk of the chosen side unavailable because they have religiously additional to the chosen side unavailable. because they have relinquished their amateur status. Yet, until all the rumour of the last year hardens, that remains a possibility. "Stimulating, isn't it?", Richard Greenwood, the England coach, says. Greenwood describes himself as a man who next day and would, therefore, be not altogether surprised should be find himself bereft of two dozen leading English players. So let us assume that all the rumour has substance, that at some

rumour has substance, that at some time in December it will be announced that more than 200 of the best players in the world are suddenly lost to the game, along with a quantity of potential coaches and administrators. That could make 1983-84 one of the most offer. Those who are offered, and accept, a large amount of money to play professional rugby union are perfectly entitled to do so, always bearing in mind that, when the tournament is over, they will have to play rugby league if they wish to retain an active interest in rugby.

their apprenticeship in the game-but, since all the leading countries would be similarly affiicted, that would not necessarily be bad for the

amateur game.

It would provide the freshest of starts. There would be few players remaining who had been tainted with championship defeat or who had exulted in triple crown success. It would also provide a test of each country's strength in death a feet of country's strength in depth, a test of the playing structure of each of the home countries. On the other hand we would have the illuminating we would have the illuminating sight of the best players in the world involved in a world cup situation. All the theories regarding pro-fessional rugby could be tested — would interest be sustained, would play retain a sufficiently high quality, would foul play proliferate because of the rewards involved? My own view is that, over the projected two-year period of the professional tournament, interest would remain muted, purely because the amateur game still has so much to offer Those who are offered and accept a large amount

The grass roots strength of rugby union is huge. The Rugby Football Union, for example, is developing the links between the schools and colts governing bodies, working to replace the dents left in schoolboy rugby by changes in the educational

While professional teams representing England and Wales may be playing at Wembley, the amateur game will carry on, if not regardless, at least fortified by their own traditions and ambitions. Clubs like Park House in Kent, counties like Commell Supergrand Houseking Comwall, Sussex and Hampshire will celebrate their centenaries and

look forward to the next 100 years. One of the great attractions of rugby union, in a world of inceasing commercialization, is the amateur

regulations.

I do not think, therefore, that rugby union has too much to fear from a professional tournament. They may learn from it, they could benefit from it, they may even have to live with it. What they must not do is either pretend it will never happen or, if it does, ignore it totally. There is no organization so well-run that it cannot learn from an

### Plymouth back to reality

Plymouth Albion enjoyed one of their most successful seasons in the South and South-West merit table to take third place last April behind. Bath and Bristol, David Hands writes. Albion began the new season with a win too, beating Public School Wanderers 16-13 on Thursday but they may find Bath. day, but they may find Bath Recreation Ground a more difficult

venue today. Bath will be without their regular wings, Trick, who is touring with the Irish Wolfhounds, and Trevaskis, who is injured; Spurrell, their captain, is also injured. On the credit side they do have Jones, their flanker, and the likes of Horton, Halliday and Palmer to delight the

A handful of Lions delay the start to the season, among them Melville, the new Wasps captain, who has a knee injury and cannot play against Maesteg. Nor can the new recruit from Coventry, Davies, but at stand-off Wasps are pleased to have Williams, who has made a remarkable recovery from an analy health broken in February sphene.

badly broken in February when a section of railway track fell on it. Irvine, the former Scotland full back, who leads Heriot's FP against London Scottish at Richmond, is in nearby Twickenham tomorrow with the club's seven's squad, playing in the Harlequin/Lords Taverners tournament at the Stoop Memorial ground where Blackheath defend the Wavell Wakefield Trophy

TABLE TENNIS

## Prean not up to the late show

From a Special Correspondent Bridgetown, Barbados

Carl Prean was unable to repea Carl Prean was unable to repeat his astounding opening day win over Jan-Ove Waldner when the quarter-finals of the World Cup sponsored by Three Fiives, took place here yesterday. It was to be expected. After all, Waldner is the Swedish champion, the European yough champion, the world No 8, and the ballocentees.

yough champion, the world No 8, and the player who, at 17 years old, is widely regarded as the most promising in the world.

At 16, Prean is just beginning to make that world's most promising player label curl a little at the edges. People have been disinclined to attain it to the Isle of Wight schoolboy because he looks more like a budding academic than the best prospect England has produced since the 1950s.

Prean might have besten Waldn-

Pream might have beaten Waldner again had the quarter-finals had not been extended from three games to five. Over the longer distance he couldd not last the pace. Pream was could not last the pace. Frean was ahead by two games to one, the score by which he won their group match, but after a five-minute interval Waldner changed his game plan. From trying to wear down the youn Briton with spectacuylar highlobbing, he began to attack with tremendous speed By now it was

tremendous speed. By now it was past midnnight and Prean had not the pace to contain it.

Waldner won 18-21, 21-19, 11-21.
21-11, 21-12 and now plays Erik Lindh, his compatriot

CALARTER-FINALS: N Appaigran (Swe) bt D Surbot (Yugi, 23-21, 21-15, 21-19, 2 Kalinic (Yugi, bt I. Jarryer (Hunn), 21-11, 21-12, 16-21, 21-19; J-O Waldner (Swe) bt C Presen (GB), 18-21, 21-18, 11-21, 21-11, 21-12, E Lindh (Swe) bt E Boggan (US), 14-21, 21-11, 21-18, 21-7.

#### **RUGBY LEAGUE**

### County line extends for Fulham

By Keith Macklin

The Lancashire and Yorkshire Cups provide clubs with an early breather from the League cham-pionship this weekend. Fulham, granted admission to the Lancashire Cup as much to make up the numbers as for any any other reason, would wish for better luck than a first round trip to Salford. Warrington, the cup holders, do not have too hard a task at Blackpool although the second division side have taken five league points from the first six. The top Lancashire game is at Widnes where the unbeaten home side expect Gregory, their international scrum half, to be fit to play against Wigan In Yorkshire the outstanding cupies are at Hull and Bradford. Hull have an early opportunity to extract revenge over Featherstone Rovers for their Wembley defeat. Bradford Northern entertain Hull Kingston Rovers, the championship joint **YACHTING** 

## Australians' appetite whetted as they miss the dinner gong

Seven seconds: that was the Victory, with the triple Olympic metre is not easy however and relies margin by which Johns Bertrand and his crew on Australia II Missed medal winner, Rodney Pattisson, taking over the belm from Lawrie their first "five-minute dinner" - a night out at the best restaurant in Smith on the off-wind legs, pulled back 16 seconds on the following run, but had no answer to Australia's better pointing ability on the final heat, which sailed away to victory almost five minutes ahead. town, promised by their syndicate boss, Alan Bond, to celebrate their first win by a five-minute margin in this America's Cup series. Australia's 4min 53sec win over

Victory 83 on Thursday to square the best of seven final elimination trials to select the challenger was nevertheless a devastating defeat for the British, who immediately called for a rest day yesterday in the hope of stronger winds this weekend. The race was delayed three hours to wait for a sea breeze to develop, but though the winds picked up to around 10 knots when the 15-minunte preparation signal was hoisted, it dropped back to a fitful seven knots for the duration of the

The pre-start manoeuvring was a passive affair, with neither gaining an advantage and Victory crossed the line at the favoured end two seconds behind Australia Howeve seconds behind Australia. However, it was immediately apparent that the Ben Lexcen design with her winged keels was pointing higher than Victory and, after crossing ahead, caught a lift from the wind on the right hand side of the course that brought her to the first weather

that brought her to the first weather mark lmin 45 sec ahead.

From that point the race was lost, for though Victory shaved back seven seconds on the two reaching legs, Australia, which has shown devastating speed upwind in these light conditions throughout the series, extended her lead to 3min, 10 sec on the second meather leg.

almost totally on the skill of the weatherman retained by each syndicate to predict what will

Pegler, a meteoroligical officer with the Royal Navy, seconded to the the final heat, which sailed away to victory almost five minutes ahead.

The Victory team have no ready answer to Australia's greater speed upwind in these light conditions for they are handicapped, just like the two American triallists with 5,000lb greater displacement and a larger wetted area, which increases friction. The addition of wings at keel-base, which the Americans are experimenting with at present, to

keel-base, which the Americans are experimenting with at present, to increase hydrodynamic lift in the hope of matching Australia's better pointing ability, only increases this wetted area, further negating any advantage that might be gained as the Victory team found when they experimented with bolt-on wings.

Sound much better than the flatter sails hoisted on Australia II.

On the American Course on Thursday, Dennis Conner's Liberty also squared the final defence trials against Courageous, her win in the single race of the day tying the American 12s with 10 wins apiece.

Conner had hoped that this 26two weeks ago.

It would appear that main hopes of Victory living up to her name in the remaining five heats of this final elimination series rest with the conditions and the skill of her backsecond victory over the 10-year-old contender skippered by J.24 world champion John Kolius would be enough to give his syndicate the defence nomination, but the New York Club Committee sailed up team of specialists to predict them. The Ian Howlett design performs best in a 12 to 17 knot without stopping to congratulate or commiserate with the two skippers. Conner and his crew who successfully defended the America's medium breeze and a lumpy sea, the conditions met in their first match improved performance during the light air races this week and has made it known that they prefer to spend the short time that remains

race on Wednesday when the British yacht won by 13 seconds. Then, correct choice of sails outweighed any advantage Australia may have gained from her secret winged keel and lower wetted area.

The choice between the 30 to 40 good sails cut to suit specific wind and sea conditions held for each 12 spend the short time that remains between now and the first America's Cup race on September 13, good sails cut to suit specific wind and sea conditions held for each 12 than racing against Courageous.

### Kidd brothers worthy champions

A south-westerly gale prevented racing on the final day of the International 14ft world championship at Pevensey Bay yesterday. The series was thus reduced from six races to five, with each crew counting their best four to determine the overall champion-ship, John Nicholls writes. The brothers, Jamie and hugh Kidd, of Canada, therefore, took the title, It is a pity that the generative

It is a pity that the runners-up.

denied the opportunity to have a Island. final attempt at unscating the champions elect.

Both crews were within striking distance the Kidds were nevertheless worthy champions, having won three of the five races sailed, including the Prince of Wales Cup.

Chris Benedict and Matt Blake, of the United Status, and the third-placed crew, Philip Morrison and Martin Gotrel of Britzin, were world championship at Hayling

INTERNATIONAL 11 WORLD CHAMPION-SHIP: Final piccings (GB unless stated): 1, Bruca's Child (J and H Kidd, Cart), 4,255c; 2, Wild Things Run Fast (C Benedict and M Blates, US), 9,75; 3, William (P Morrison and M Gotre), 10,75; 4, Bruce (Mars K and J Bleasby, Can), 22; 5, Shambles (M Henderson and A Squire), 25; 6, Hesitation Roll (J Hartley and R Bridge), 25;

IN BRIEF

### British women win third pentathlon

Britain won their third successive team crown in the women's modern pentathion world championships in Gothenburg Lynn Chornobrywy, of Canada, took the individual title, overhauling former world cham-pion, Anne Ahlgren, of Sweden, when she finished second in the final event, the two-kilometre crosscountry. Miss Ahlgren, who won the inaugural individual title in London two years ago, had led throughout the first four events but she managed only sixteenth place in each of the last two disciplines - shooting and cross-country. Miss Chornobrywy, aged 20, ninth in the

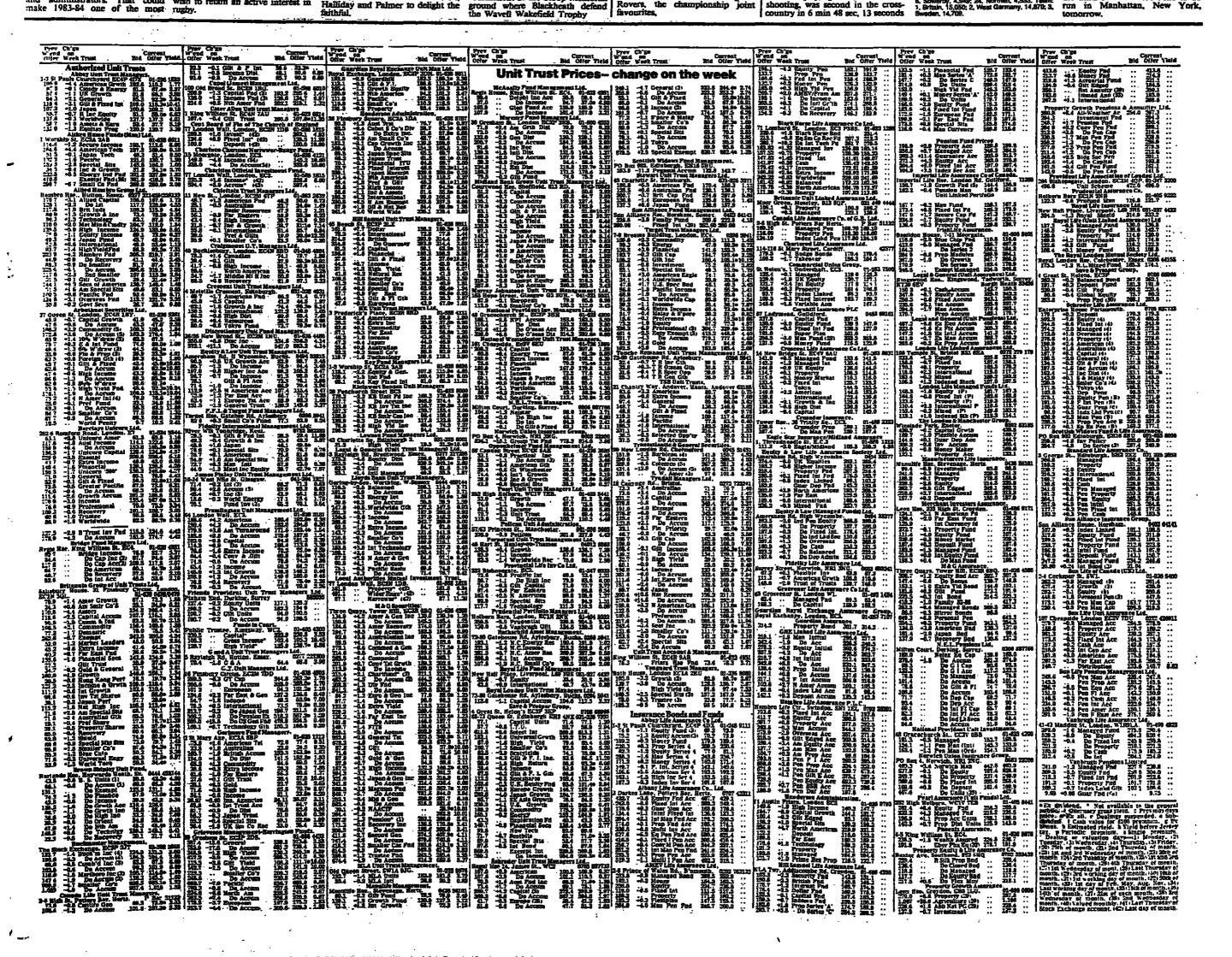
behind Teresa Purton, of Britain. United States, who seized the team lead after the fourth event from Sweden and Britain, slipped back to fifth behind Britain (15,050), West Germany (14,970), Sweden (14,709) and Canada

RESULTS: Cross-country: 1, 7 Purton, 6 min 35 sec. 1,325 pts; 2, L Chornobrywy (Carl), 6-48, 1,360; 3, A Letander (Swe), 6-50, 1,250, Other Brisst: 9, W Norman, 7-05, 1,115; 15, V Sowerby, 7-17, 1,115; 21. 8 Parker, 7-28, 1,060, Team: 1, Britain, 3,585; 2, Sweden, 3,540; 3, Canada, 3,490, Finel Individual: 1, Chornobrywy, 5,326; 2, A Ahlgren, 5,196; 3, Parker, 5,082, Other British: 5, Purton, 5,019; 8, Sowerby, 4,940; 24, Norman, 4,533, Team: 1, Britain, 15,050; 2, West Garmany, 14,570; 3, Sweden, 14,709.

ATHLETICS: Steve Ovett, who is to mae another attempt at recapturing his world 1,500 metres could well decide to take on the mile - and a crack at Sebastian Coe's world record of 3min 47.33sec - in the IAC Coca-Cola meeting at

Crystal Palace on September 9.

Sydney Maree, who broke the 1,500 metres world reord last Sunday, and Earnon Coghlan, whose long pursuit of a major title ended with victory in the world championship 5,000 metres three weeks ago, are joint favourites for the third Fifth Avenue Mile to be run in Manhattan, New York,



## Habibti to reign supreme as sprinting queen

Habibti can stake her claim towards being voted "Racehorse of the year" by winning the Sprint Cup at Haydock Park this afternoon. Already this season, John Dunlop's flying filly has captured the public imagination with her exhibitating victories in the July Cup at Newmarket and the William Hill Sprint Championship at York, If she wins in the manner expected today, Habibti will be en route to Paris where she will be out to emulate Marwell, who was the last filly to capture the Prix de l'Abbaye in 1981.

At York Habibti had to work quite hard inside the two furlong marker before she was able to lengthen her stride and master Soba. However, that was over Soba's best distance of five furlongs. Now that they are back to six furiongs the story should be the same as it was at Newmarket where Habibti's supremacy was obvious throughout.

Baudelaire is clearly a high class performer, who must have a good chance of giving Robert angster his first triumph in the race sponsored by the family firm.
At Newcastle in July, Vincent
O'Brien's Nijinsky colt showed a
splendid burst of finishing speed
when racing home two and a half lengths clear of I'll See You in the Beeswing Stakes. More recently at Deauville He again excelled when beating Maximova in the Prix Maurice de Cheest. Judged on Maximova's form in the July Cup, Habibti should have the edge over the Irish challenger.
Of the other runners Sayf El

Draw advantage: Low numbers best

Tote: Double 3.15, 4.15. Treble 2.45, 3.45, 4.45 [Television (BBC1) 2.15, 3.15 and 3.45 races]

2.45 LIVERPOOL HANDICAP (23,438: 1m 4f) (8)

11-4 Persian Tiera, 7-2 Meetes Gold, 5 Mes Diew

3.15 MORECAMBE HANDICAP (25,158: 1m 40yd) (11)

3.45 VERNONS SPRINT CUP (Group II: £40,100: 6f) (6)

Draw advantage: High numbers best

Tote Double: 2.35, 3.35. Treble: 2.0, 3.5, 4.5.

[Television: (ITV) 1.30, 2.0, 2.35 and 3.5 races]

101000 VORVADOS (0) (Miss F Galichen) M Haynes 6-9-3 ... 402219 SOBA (CD) (3) Mars M Hille) D Chapman 4-9-0 11-2211 BEAUDELANE (R Sengated) M V O'Grieni (re) 3-8-12 ... 141330 ON STAGE (D) (CD) (A Foustol) W O'Griman 3-8-12

1.30 ELEVATION HANDICAP (2-y-o: £3,376: 6f) (12 runners)

2.0 INTERCRAFT STAKES (3-y-o: fillies: £7,146: 1m 2f) (7)

2.35 SEPTEMBER STAKES (Group lil: 213,004: 1m 3f 30yd) (6)

4-5 Hot Touch, 4 Now And Agein, 6 Lyphard's Special, 8 Gorden, 12 Lefo

1-0 SAVING MERICY (M Bensouring J Hindby 9-4 ...
2-21101 SEDRA (Moh Alcesteri) J Dunido 9-4 ...
10000 SLE-L-AH (C) (C Shed) P Kellewey 9-4 ...
301403 LA GRIGGA (D) (D Mc Intyre) J Whiter 9-1 ...
200000 OCTAVIA GRPL (V Centamore) D Essectis 9-1 ...
4-12200 SY MY DARJENG (Elsha Holdings) G Lewis 6-1 ...
621012 MOST HONOURABLE (K Abdulit) F Durr 8-11

SELECTION: Het Touch

2.45 FOODBROKERS

CAP (25,839: 6f) (13)

O: £4,084: 1m) (8 runners)

8-13 Questella, 8 Evippos, 15-2 Norton Printeson. Rix Woodcock, 14 others.

NORTHERN

5-2 Django, 7-2 Old Dominion, 9-2 Anatruther, 15-2 Thunder! 10 Tower Of Strangth, Tracker Sergens, 12 Starte's Winov.

HANDI-

7-2 Throne Of Glory, 4 Fair Dominion, 9-2 Keyus, 6 Rio Rive, 6 Hit The Heights, 19 Collegian skiorce Victory, Rioldski, 20 others.

11-6 Sedre, 5-2 Most Honourable, 9-2 Savings Mercy, 8 La Grigla, 10 Be My Darling, 20

POSINC Femioria (10-0) 6th beaten 51 to Beddine (ruc 33th) 9 ran. York 1m 21 110yd h'cap firm July 9. Latertaine (8-12) won 11 from Locking For (level) 6 ran. Linglied 1m 4f size good to firm Aug 14ct 7cont 6-109 2nd beaten nt to Coarison (level) 9 ran. Prof. in 21 110yd etils good to firm Aug 16. Gordian (8-0) 10th beaten over 16 to Teerono (level) 21 ran. Epocen 1m 4f size heavy June 1. Lyphards Special (8-0) won 11g from 11 See You (gave 10th) 6 ran. Linglied 7f 140yd size for July 9. New And Again (9-4) won 21g from Locksoniez (level) 2 ran. Newcaste 1m size firm Aug

**Kempton Park** 

pattern races for Bill O'Gorman this season. Vorvados excelled when beating Vaigly Star and Prince Spy in the Duke of York stakes back in the spring. But Habiti remains a confident

Barry Hills's horses have been in good form recently and the Lambourn trained could well land a double on the Lancashire course by winning the Morecambe Handicap with Crown Godiva. Prego failed to land a gamble when second to Moore's Metal at the Newmarker's July meeting, but came good in no uncertain fashion when sprinting home from Silver Season at Newbury.

Crown Godiva was desperately unlucky not to have been concerned in the finish at Epsom last Monday. Ridden by Lester Piggott, the three-year-old started favourite, but was denied a clear round at a crucial stage of the race and finished unplaced behind Ampersand. Crown Godiva should have most to fear from Dinner Toast and Rare Honour.

Visitors to Kempton are also promised some interesting racing. In the absence of Shareef Dancer, Hot Touch cannot possible be opposed in the September Stakes. Geoffrey Wragg's tough and consistent Moulton colt showed that he was one of the best threeyear-olds in training when prov-ing too strog for Guns of Navarone in the Mecca-Dante

Stakes at York. He probably failed to stay the e when finishing a remote fifth behind Shareef Dancer over a mile and a half at Ascot. Arab and On Stage have both won Subsequently Hot Touch stole the

Haydock Park

62:433 BUZZLER (Mrs C Heerth) J Bethell 9-7 W Cerson
414404 MEESON GRANGE (B) (J Wilcox) J Berry 9-8 K Darley
403:033 MORSWART (C) (D Gorotol M H Easterby 6-12 M Berch
140 MEWMARKET SAUSAGE (B) (Sr W Dopdale) S Norton 6-12 C Cellvier 5
60:0331 VICEROY LAD (F Broom) R Hamon 6-12 (S ext) A McClone 3
040 USER GUARD (Lé Marchon) J W Watts 8-11 E Hide
012 CHAKER ERIDGE (Mrs V McKeon) R Hollinshead 8-5 Paul Eddery
020 CUR LADY (Elsha Holding) M Jarvis 7-13
1-2 Viceron Led 3 Ruzzler 7-2 Morswart 8 Meeson Grance 10 Our Lady, 12 Newmart

2.15 FLEETWOOD HANDICAP (2-y-o: £3,652: 7f 40yd) (8 runners)

5-2 Vicercy Led, 3 Buzzier, 7-2 Monswert, 8 Messon Grange, 10 Our Lady, 12 No. 14 Qualer Bridge, 16 Life Guard.

Barry Hills: chance of 2 Haydock double mours of the race when third to Dazari and Seymour Hicks in the Bookmakers' Scottish

Derby when conceding weight to himself when making Caerleon fight to the very last stride in that thrilling finish to the Benson and

thrilling finish to the Benson and Hedges Gold Cup at York.
Guy Harwood runs both his Sandown Guardian Classic Trial winner, Gordian, and Lyphard's Special, who showed a glimpse of his two-year-old ability in his Lingfield victory in July. Heary Cecil is represented by Now and Again, who beat Lobkowiez in a two horse affair at Newcastle on two horse affair at Newcastle on

his only outing this season.
As usual, John Dunlop's horses are blooming with the onset of autumn. The Arundel-trained filly, Sedra, came right back to her best form when finishing a close second to Green Reef in the Prix de Psyche at Deauville. Sedra will be hard to beat in the Intercraft Filly Stakes.

The Geoffrey Hamlyn Handicap promises to be a competitive affair. Chances can be given to most of the field. However, Tetron Bay won by three lengths at Epsom on Monday and with Lester Piggott again in the saddle, Richard Hannon's three-year-old should be capable of defying a 5lb

14-0001 SAYF EL ARAB (M Debegh) W O'Gorman 3-8-12 1-24011 HABIETI (D) (M Mutawa) J Duniop 3-8-9 ........

## Cauthen in lucky escape at Kempton

Steve Cauthen was lucky to escape undurt after a crashing fall from Chicago Bid in the Bonusprint Sirenia Stakes, the feature race at Kempton Park yesterday.
After the colt had finished third he slipped on the rain-scaled turf and fell. Cauthen was only winded, and after leaning on the running rail for a minute was able to walk back to the weighing

Viictory went to Defecting Dancer, completing a double for Henry Cecil and Lester Figgott, who had earlier won the Arion Handicap with Lady Moon. The Newmarket trainer's assistant, William Jarvis said: "Mr Cecil is in the middle of sorting out his plans for the two-year-olds, but will be very pleased with Defecting Dancer's performance here. The cost won comfortably, and this race will not have taken much out of him." The runner-up, Double Sch-

wartz, was the unlucky horse of the race as Joe Mercer was unable to find a gap in the final two furlongs.
Cecil's Lady Moon drifted alarmingly in the market from 6-4 to 5-2 in the Arion Handicap, but the daughter of Mill Reef came home a length clear of Gloria Mundi. Piggot was always in control on the top weight. He took

her to the front a furlong out, • Russian Roubles is out of next weeks St Leger at Donesster, the colt, whose only victory this year was in Chepstow's Weish Derby, disappointed his trainer, John Dunlop, when working with Pat Eddery aboard after racing at Kempton Park yesterday.

## Crystal Glitters to outshine star field

The Prix du Moulin de to judge Crystal Glitters on form Longchamp tomorrow has attracted the finest field for a mile when he beat Darly by three race in Europe so far this season. The winners of both the French third. L'Emigrant and Crystal Glitters and Irish 1,000 and 2,000 guineas are due to contest the group one event, where English interests are event, where English interests are represented by Horage, the mount of Yves Saint-Martin, and Wassi, who will be ridden by Willie

Six of the eight runners have claims to the £36,597 first prize but I am siding with Crystal Chitters to beat L'Emigrant, Luth Enchantee and Wassl. On recent form Crystal Glitters has little chance of defeating Luth Enchan-tee and L'Emigrant, who took the first two places in the Prix Jacques le Marois at Deauville, where Crystal Glitters finished Irish 1,000 guineas. She might seventh. However, the son of well need the race, but was a Blushing Groom was not fully course and distance winner when

#### Diamond Shoal to scoop marks

Diamond Shoal, ridden by Steve Cauthen, a winner twice in France and once in Italy already this year, should add the £45,455 Grosser Preis von Baden in Germany tomorrow. British runners have claimed six out of the seven races which they have contested in the last nine days and Diamond Shoal should have no trouble making it seven out of eight, in the race won by his full brother, Glint of Gold, last year. Water Moccasin (John Matthias)

won the £15,584 Moet and Chandon Zukunfts-Rennen over six furlongs by two and a quarter lengths at Baden-Baden yesterday. Any Busi-ness (Graham Sexton) took second place from the odds-on Nophe (Paul Cook), so British horses took the

15 BERKDALE STAKES (2-y-o: selling £1,494: 1m 40yd)

MUI NUT by 1 by Vidges - Liengold (Mrs P Young) 8-4----- Seecrave 69-2)

Young 8-4 Sengrave (9-2) Herman Belle G Becter (3-1 lev) Boys in Blue B Raymond (11-2)

B Regmond (11-2) 1 TOTE: Wit: \$4.90. Please: \$1.90. \$1.20, \$2.40. DP: \$7.50. CSP: \$18.55, J-Sharington at Meiton, \$34, 254. Wee Lucia (5-1) 4th. 11 ran. Im 45.34eec NR: Indian Dream, Bought in 1,800gma.

2.45 SOUTHPORT HANDICAP (3-y-o: 1m 2 131 yds. 22,066: 1m 21 131yd) TRUSTY TROUBADOR oh o by The Ministrel - in Trust (Shelich Mohemmed) 8-5 J Reid (11-2) Home Secretary W Carson (100-30) : Bellintondi G Becter (11-4 say)

TOTE: Wir: 210.20, Places: 22.90, 21.90, OP. 28.80, CSP: 220.98, R Houghton at Didcot. 1/4, 71. Star Life (11-1) 4th 6 ran. 2m 15.01eec.

L15 LYTHAM STAKES (2-y-o: £3,124: 1m 40yd)

Derrygota 1 Nes (19-1) 3 TOTE: Wirc 22.80. Places 21.30, 21.10, 21.70, DF: 22.80. CSP: 25,98. W Harn at West Beloy, 32, 51. San Carlos Bay (12-1) 48. 9 ran. 1m 43.85sec. NF: Benbrook Again.

RAMBLING RIVER b h by Forlow River— Wito-Done-Billies G Richardson) 6-8-13.J

Love (7-1) 1
Solot Creegin Bay B Raymond (7-1) 2
New Express G Startey (8-1) 3

TOTE: Wir: E5.20. Places: \$2.20, E2.50, £1.30. DP: 225.50. CSP: £50.37. TRICAST: £264.76. W A Stephenson at Hisbop Auckland.

MEORION of c by Bussed-Ship Yard(Capt M Lamos) 9-0 W Carson (4-9 tay) 1 Jackdow S Perks (7-1) 2 Powersaver Led Heymond (12-1) 3 TOTE: Wit: £1.50. Pisose: £1.00, £1.50. £1.50. DF: \$4.20. C SF: £4.30. C Britisin at Newmarket %, 15t. Blue Hill (22-1) 4th. 9 ran. 3n (11.43ec.

L45 ST ANNE'S HANDICAP (2-y-o: \$2,105; 6f

Perth

2.15 ERROCHTY HURDLE (Handicap Amateurs: 2845: 3m) (7 runners)

8-11 Mighty Run, 7-2 Legal Seesion, 6 Sursion, 8 Grangethill,

2.45 BLAIRADAM CHASE (Handicap

2 034- Father Delimey 11-11-7 ..... O'Nel 3 240- The Engineer 11-11-0 ...... Gi Holme 5 104- Go Jack 9-19-4 ............ N Dought

Evens Father Coloney, 15-8 Go Jack, 5-2 The Engineer

3.15 TUMMEL BRIDGE HURDLE (Han-dicap: £744: 2m,4f) (3)

Mise Findley 7

Haydock results

will be meeting for the sixth occasion. The former came out best back in April in the Poule d'Essai des Poulains (French 2,000). L'Emigrant went on to take the ten and a baif furlong take the ten and a Prix du Jockey-Club.

Over the straight Deanville course and on firm ground Luth Enchantee was a star, but she comes back to the undulations and turns of Longchamp and the ground could well be soft tomorrow. L'Attrayante has not run since landing the French and tuned up for that race and I prefer the conditions were similar

#### Comeback for Salmon Leap

Pat Eddery will ride Robert Sangster's Salmon Leap in the Pacemaker International Whitehall Stakes at Phoenix Park rather than go to Haydock to ride the same owner's Beaudelaire in the Vernous Gold Cup, Our Irish Correspondent writer. This will be the first race for Salmon Leap since he finished fourth to Teenoso in the Epsom Derby and the opposition includes Derby and the opposition includes the Peter Walywa's Naar, who finished two places behind Salmon Leap in the Derby and now enjoys

an 8lb pull in the weights.

The Derby marked the first defeat for Salmon Leap, who had won two group races earlier in the season, including the Nijinsky Stakes. Salmon Leap had a bad run at Epsom and should restore his

#### **Kempton Park**

TOTE: Wir: £4.70. Pieces: £1.70. 22.80, 23.30. DP: £56.70. CSP: £50.21. TRICAST: \$50.78. 6 Levids at Epson. ½, £. Rezoratorp (\$-1 fav). Timber Tyccon (\$-1) 4th. 10 ran.1m 27.5eec. 4.10 THAMES HANDICAP (selling: £1,398; 165 MPECCABLE LADY by f by Silly Season -Gorse Bush (D McLellan) 49-8.E Guest

TUTE: Whr. SS.50. Piscas: 22.00, 22.00, 23.00, DF: 218.70, CSF: 248.00. TRICAST: 2405.72. C Williams at Paraghourne, El, 31. Dean an Deas (6-1 far). April Memories (8-1) 48. 15 ran. Im 41.30sec. NR: Mandriano, Princess Mora, Liberated Girl. 4.40 TANGRER STAKES (Amateurs: 21,478: 1m 40. 

TOTE: Wir. 25.40. Places: 21.20, 21.30 22.90. DP: 24.40. CSP: 28.10, B HBs a Lambourn. 4, 1½. Lissiby (7-2) 40t. 16 ras., 2x 41.76sec. NF: Coyer. TOTE DOUBLE: 222.00. TREBLE: 218.35 JACKPOT NOT WON, PLACEPOT: 247.00.

1 p2-8 Albion Prince (8) 9-11-5 Mr M Thompson? 3 0/0- No Mystery 7-11-5 \_\_\_\_\_ N Jones 7 4 032- Super Sole 7-11-5 \_\_\_\_\_ N Doughty 5 104- Februar 5-11-8 \_\_\_\_\_ N Barnes 10-11 Super Solo, 5-2 No Mystery, 4 Albior Prince, 8 Folidaw. 4.15 CRAIGVINEAN HURDLE (Novice

es: £506; 2m) (4) 5 00-f No Metch 7-10-13 11 0- Astronoght 4-10 14 S20- Concert Pitch 4-10-7 — I Thick to 0-23 Mise Abresh (29 4-10-2 — C Henklin 1-3 Concert Pitch, 4 Mise Abresh, 8 Astronought, 12 No Match. 4.45 GLENISLA HURDLE (3-Y-O novi

LADY CLEMENTINE 5 f, by He Loves Me -.
In The Clover (D Humbelt) 8-11 AT Appear (-1) of TOTE: Whe 26.90. Places 22.90. £1.40. £2.30. DF: £16.40. CSF: £30.56. B Swift at Epsom. 11/4, TJ. Balton (3-1 fav), Kalerralden (6-1) 481. 10 ran. Im (62.4 isec.

LADY MOON b Lby MB Reef - Moonlight Night (H Joef) 9-7 \_\_\_\_\_ Piggott (5-2 feb) Glorin Maxed \_\_\_\_\_ R.Fox (7-1) Trapical Mist \_\_\_\_\_ J Marcer (3-1) 3.5 BONGSPRINT SIRENIA STAKES (2-Y-

MEN'S SINGLES FIRST ROURD US unless stated: A

Three British crews, out of 12 - which will be evenly contested - at

Beryl Mitchell, the 1981 world silver medal winner, was not, however, one of the successes yesterday. In the women's single sculls, she was edged out of a final

Melvin, aged 27, reached the final

WOMEN
SMOLE SCILLS: sent-truic: trut race: 1, J
Hampe (EG) 3:25:50; 2, I Federova (USSR)
3:34:01; 3, V Gider (US) 3:34:31; 4, B Minchel
(GS) 3:26:17. Second race: 1, V Racia (Form)
2:50:53; 2, L Justineen (Den) 3:38:33; 3, A
Schrainer (Car) 3:40:14; sent-finale: first race: 1,
East Germany 3:16:28: 2, Soriett Union 3:19:25;
3, Netherlands 3:21:50, Second race: 1,
Floozania 3:18:22; 2, Hangary 3:20:58; 3,
Bulgaria 3:20:56.

### SCOTTISH FOOTBALL

## Reasons for optimism

A new attendance record for the premier division is expected to be act today when local derbies involve the cities of Glasgow, Edinburgh and Dundee for the first time since and Dinness for the first time since reconstruction of the Scottish League. On the insugaral day of the new division in 1975 there were 109,132 spectators and that figure has never been reached since. has never been reached since.

One reason for this was that a succession of relegations – for Hearts of Midlothians, Hiberian and Dundee – reduced the number of derby matches in the premier division. Last season's close trace for the championship, together with an upward trend in premier division crowds have, however, produced crowds have, however, produced

crowds have, however, produced optimism.

In their pursuit of honours, the old firm of Celtic and Rangers may be sorely pressed this season by the conquerors from the North-East, Aberdeen and Dundee United. Yet the frama of their confrontations persists and — their meeting at Parkhead should attract the biggest

audience in Britain. Both clubs are in expected to be cal derbies involve signow. Edinburgh the first time since of the Scottish augural day of the 1975 there were said that figure is and that figure ched since.

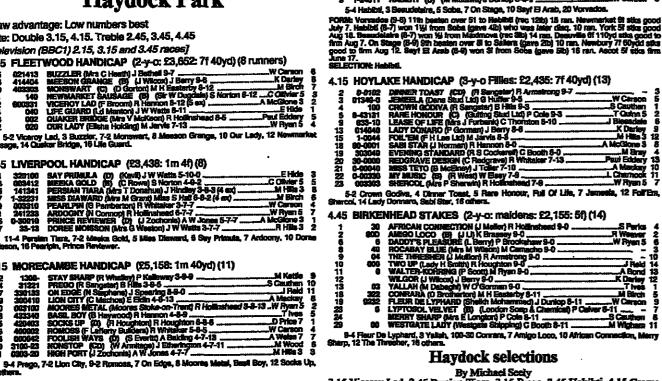
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The fooball public in Edinburgh is agog at the meeting of Hearts and Hills at Tynecastle, which is their wereer, produced it of honours, the and Rangers must be season.

The fooball public in Edinburgh is agog at the meeting for four years. But a Hearts w Hilbs is usually sneath, and Rangers must

edgy affair,

Firmest favourites to emerge as winners on "derby day" are Dundee United, who have started the season so well that they are already the choice for the premier division title they won last year. They meet Dundee at Dens Park, dee at Dens Park.



By Michael Seely ian Tiara. 3.15 Preg o. 3.45 Habibti. 4.15 Crown 2.15 Viceroy Lad. 2.45 Persi

By Our Newmarket Correspondent 2.15 Our Lady. 2.45 Persian Tisra. 3.15 Lion City. 3.45 On Stage. 4.15

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3.5	GEOFFREY HAMILYN HANDICAP (3-y-o: £4,006: 1m) (7)	
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405 406	210331 TETRON BAY (B) (R Shannon) R Hermon 9-0 (S ex) L Propost 113240 KELLATHI (D) (Shelih Mohammed) F Durr 8-13 G Starley	2
408 410	12-03 COMBIG AND GOING (D) (K Fitzpatrick) M Jarvis 6-12	7
411	420032 IT'S KELLY (D Tubb) G Balding 7-12	5
Tan. I	i: Zahwender (5-7) won 1/4 from Gaygo Lady (nec 70), with Kelledel (nec 80), 6th betten 41 Gewantide Inn Irasp good to firm Aug 2. Tenna Bay (5-2) won 21 from Trumpe (nec 2015) Spoom 1 m. 110yd Irasp firm Aug 25. Coming And Going (8-5) 3rd betten 111 to Lladi	) 6 ( 5
frec 1	sy paranj 7 fant. Sautopann 1711 gaza forns Abig 191. Artesos (9-4) 427 centen 21 to Chings (38). 90) 7 fant. Sandown 1.m 21 hicap Sinn Aug 20, 16a Kelly (8-3) 2nd besten 31 to Enned Arec 11	me
SET E	Whiteer 1m 70yd h'cap good to firm Aug 15. CTICH: Zabeender.	
3.35 502	CHERTSEY LOCK STAKES (2-y-o: £4,955: 7f) (12)	1
504	ALDO KING (Newpats Ltd) P Cole 8-11P Robinson BAY SHADOW (A Belzarin) M Jervis 8-11B Raymond	Š

BLACKGUARD (A Oldrey) P Walvyn 8-11

DOUBLE OPTION (J Austin) G Harwood 8-11

BLICKY SCOTT O'R Dowland P Cole 8-11

MACARTHURS HEAD (A Strutheral J Dunlop 8-11

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MATIVE SPELL (M Finish) G Hills 5-11

MATIVE SPELL (M Finish on) F Armstrong 8-11

CZMSKY () Myeral I Walter 8-11

PETRIZZO (Mrs C Elick-Lumona) C Britain 8-11

TAMBRO (Ld H de Walden) H Cecil 8-11

TAMBRO (Ld H de Walden) H Cecil 8-11 3 Macaritura Head, 7-2 Tamion, 4 Double Option, 6 Bay Shadow, 8 Majorashy, 12 Blackguard, Aldo King, 20 others. 4.5 EGHAM HANDICAP (22,754: 1m 4f) (8)

| Control | Cont pour, 5 Ridgefield, 6 Gleshank, 7 Nestor, 8 Mach

**Kempton selections** By Michael Seely 1.30 Throne Of Glory. 2.0 Sedra. 2.35 Hot Touch. 3.5 Tetron Bay. 3.35 Lucky Scott. 4.45 Madame Flutterbye. By Our Newmarket Correspondent 1.30 Collegian. 2.00 La Grigia. 2.35 Now and Again. 3.05 Zaheendar. 3.35 Tamino. 4.05 Glenhawk.

Thirsk 3.15 FALCON STAKES (3-Y-O selling: £1,804: 1m 4f) | Stratford-upon-Avon Draw advantage: High numbers best. PERCYSIGA (CD) J Fitzgerald 8-12 RICENSE J Etherington 8-11 KUSHSHOON (S) S WHES 8-11 RIAKE'S PROGRESS O Luing 8-11 ANGEVERSARY TOKEM A Hollinghest 1.45 PRIMULA CHEESE SPREAD HANDICAP (2-Y-10 0004 MIANT HOLIDAY (II) MW Easterby 8-10 

N Arizsie 3 1 A Nesbitt 3 1 CALLING ERRO C Thorston 8-8 ....
EASTER JANE W Haigh 8-8 ....
FRUST SERRY P Roben 8-8 ....
GEN-HAY T Faitures 8-8 ....
KELLY THORPE C Gray 8-8 ....
NOT EASY C Thorston 8-8 ....
ON TOUR W Haigh 8-5 ....
REGAU, BLISS (B) S Norton 8-8 .... . M Tabbut 7 2.15 GOLDEN GRAIN HAMBLETON CUP HANDI- 3.45 HIGHFLYER STAKES (23,210:5f) (7) CAP (£3,407:2m) (8) 

4.15 SAXTY WAY STAKES (3-Y-O: 1m) (6) CANDIGAN L Lightbrown 8-10 ...
48-00 SOLAR LIGHT W Bay 8-10 ...
9 HEBLAR H Hoppshed 8-7 ...
9 MELLITE K Borne 8-7 ...
28-0 PENYSONT 8 Hotbs 6-7 ...
63 PLAYTEX W Carles 8-7 ...

Thirsk selections By Michael Seely 1.45 Questella. 2.15 Ben Boy. 2.45 Anstruther. 3.15 Perovskia. 3.45 Anton Pillar. 4.15 Penybout. 1.45 Questella. 2.15 Pearl Thyme. 3.15 Tower of Strength. 3.45 Anton Pillar. 4.15 Penybont.

2.0 LADY GOD(VA HURDLE (novices £690; 2m) (16 runners) 14 000y Net Spirit 7-10-9 P Sourissonors
15 ppp- Pirgund 7-10-9 P Liddoott 7-10-9
16 D- Cheveley Star 4-10-7 A Webber 18 003 Deathing Death 4-10-7 P Serion 21 00p- Higham Hill 4-10-7 P Serion 25 u.S. Seedically Again 4-10-7 K Barken 7-10-7 K Barken 7-10-Dashing Dosses 4-10-7 ... at symmetry Highest 18ff 4-10-7 ... P British Sandicillis Again 4-10-7 ... R Burles 7 Visconstant 4-10-7 ... D Dutton Shooting High 4-10-2 ... C Smith Value des Reses 4-10-2 ... Example Walked See Reses 4-10-2 ... H Duttes 5-4 Levels Estates, 4 Wather Jewel, 13-2 unedate, 10 Deathing Deaths. 2.50 BLACK PRINCE HURDLE (selling 1 Outs Nitgrateur 11-12-4 KB 5 GSp Popel's Niterchate CSP 7 OTSY Tarachite 11-17-0 G 8 OTG Dator's Net 4-10-73 P South 9 pOX- Noricell Squite (B) 7-10-13

11 0th Florence 7-10-11 Burles 12 050 Border River 10-10-9 S New 15 0-04 Siring 6-10-5 Air G Welliams 7 17 030- Chemey 5-10-3 S Bmith Encies 19 022 General Pattents 9-10-3 2: 420- Keedeed 8-10-1 \_\_\_\_\_ 22 Cp-0 River Wester 5-10-0 \_\_\_ 23 Op- Miscien 5-18-0 \_\_\_\_ erel Patterns, 11-4 Kendeen, 105-20 

9-4 Moonlight Bay, 3 Northbourne, 4 Ambe Windsor, 5 Metron Rose 3 Flesh Herry, 7-2 Dundhum Sey, 4 No projet, 11-2 Just Julie. 3.30 VIRGINIA GOLD CUP CHASE-2 Peddy's Peril, 3 Com Indian Song, 8 lvory Chest 4.0 GARRICK JUSILEE HURDLE (handicap: £1,122: 2m) 14) Perth results 

10 243- Lord of the Realm 5-10-5 J Lovejoy 4
11 0/0-0 Stateseronam 7-10-0 Air Babbage 4
15 031 Super Bast 4-10-0 /F ed)
16 10-0 Terms 4-10-0 — R Campbell 7
7 402 Carefy Street 5-10-0 — British 16
11 Heling Sovereign 5-10-0
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STRATFORD SELECTIONS: 2.0 Lunedale, 2.30 Duke's Heir, 3.0 Gambling Prince, 3.30 Rusthall, 4.0 Graphics Soler, 4.30 K's Only A 2-15: 1, North Light (4-9 lav); 2, Holdell (7-4), craly 2 ran. 2-45: 1, Moon Dreamer (5-2 R lav); 2, Birmby (5-2 R lav); 3, Storehall Prince (4-1), 3-15: 1, Bellydermor (9-2); 2, Lottle Lehmann (18-8 lav); 3, Plage Gien (7-2). 2.45: 1, Strike Again; (2-2); 2, Viscount (14-1); 3 Fionours Bren (5-2), 5 ren. 4.15: 1, Pipper's Glory (Eners Sav); 2 Watchickness Led (26-1); 3, Cone The Couble Watchiniowe Led (25-1); 3, Cone The Con (11-10, 5 ran. 4-45: 1, Greenie (4-5 fav); 2; Leugh-A-46: (20-1); 3, Lothist Emprésa (11-2), 5 ran. BLINGERS PIRST TIME: Kengker: 1.50 Tenn Penny, Tizzy: Haydock: 2.15 Heresteria Sausage 2.45 Meeta Gotd 4.45 Lyptoe Vehyet. Thirtis: 1.45 Norton Princese, Misr Holiday, 3.15 Kushahoon, Cn Tour.

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Miss Durie building
on her new status
From Rex Bellamy, Tennis Correspondents
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Joanna Durie, of Bristol, best Etsuko Inone, of Japan, 7-5, 6-3 in the second round of the United States champiouships here yester-day. This was not a particularly impressive performance by Miss Durie, but she has reached a level at Durie, but she has reamen a level at which players tend to do little more than they need to. Her success means that Britain will be represented in the last 32 of both singles. John Lloyd advanced to the same intermediate eminence a day earlier.

Three singles seeds failed to survive the first round, José-Luis Clerc and Virginia Ruzici because they were beaten and Tracy Austin because she was not fit enough to

compete. On Thursday three more seeds were beaten in the second round. Jose Higueras fell to Lloyd,

round. Jose Highers and to Loye, who is suddenly reminding us that, a few years ago, he beat Roscoe Tanner at Wimbledon and John Alexander in a Davis Cup tie – and also took Vitas Gerulaitis to five sets in the Australian final.

This was a fine performance by Miss Durie: in last 32 taken to five sets by relatively obscure opponents. Christo Steyn, of South Africa, aged 22, who has of South three years at the University of Miami, won two of his first three sets with Gene Mayer, who needed a match like that because an alling wrist recently enforced a lay-off sets in the Australian final.

This was a fine performance by
Lloyd, who exploited the fact that
the conditions suited him more than
they saited Higneras. The courts
here have always been fast, though
not excessively so. This year there is
widespread agreement that the pace
has quickened, partly because of the
light balk in use and partly because
many of the outside courts have

from competition.
Tom Cain, of Vinginia, kept
Guillermo Vilas on court for three hours and forty minutes. At one-all and deuce in the fifth set Cain was and detect in the full set can was caught on the wrong foot, wrenched his left and in a fall and -resuming after the ankie had been taped - could win only one more

Other winners in five sets included Bruce Manson (against Tomas Smid) and Lloyd's next opponent, Terry Moor, who beat Paul McNamee, One of the regular Wimbledon heroes, Tim Mayotte, was besten in four sets by Brian Gottfried, who has been playing in these championships since 1970 but looks none the worse for the What a contrast there is between

the likes of Gottfried, exemplary in his self-disciplined sportsmanship, ms sen-asseptined sportsmansing, and the occasional petulance of the new generation – demonstrated on Thursday by Pat Cash of Australia, aged 18, who was fined about £830 6 and under champion.

In the mens event two seeds were the mens e

WOMEN'S STINGLES:
FIRST ROUND (US unless stated) M
Navatilors bt E Rapont Longo (Arg), 6-1, 6-0;
W Turnbull (Auc) bt S Walch, 6-3, 6-3; C
Bassett (Can) bt L Antopolis (US), 5-7, 6-1, 6-3;
G Rush bt J Kitch,
6-3, 6-7, 6-2; K Horvatth bt P Huber (Aus), 6-0,
6-3; M Patek bt S Acker, 6-4, 6-4; K Cunnelings
bt Duk Hee Lee (S Koreal), 6-1, 7-6; C Moniterio
(Br) bt A Fernandez, 6-4, 2-6,
7-6; J Hepner bt B Brantect, 6-1, 6-7, 6-3; K
Hreudd It V Nalson, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3; A Kyroman

Filmaldi bt V Neison, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3; A Kly bt R Uys (SA), 4-6, 7-5, 6-4,

SECOND ROUND: K Gombert bt R Reggi (th, 6-3, 6-1; P Paradis (F) bt S Goles (Yug), 4-9, 6-2, 6-4; S Hamilto (WS) bt L Artoya (Peru), 6-1,6-3; M Jausovec (Yug) bt D Gibert, 6-4, 6-2, A Jaeger bt E Burgin, 6-2, 6-3; C Suise (F) bt P Delhees (Switz), 6-3, 7-5.

semi-tinal, behind the Soviet Union and West Germany. They were last

at 1,000 metres, but came back through the field in the next 500 metres and held off a very strong

challenge from Bulgaria.

If the coxed four could improve

their performance in the first quarter of the race, they would have a genume medal chance. In the semi-final, New Zealand, East Germany and Czechosiovakia qualified.

Some of the sparkle was missing yesterday from Mrs Mitchell. She faced the more difficult semi-final,

which included the talented East German, Jutta Hampe, and the world champion, Irena Fetissova, of the Soviet Union.

Mrs Mitchell, on the outside lane was third at the halfway point. But Virginia Gilder, on the inside, came through for the crucial third place.

Germany, 657.01; 2, Switzerland, 659.66; 3, Yugosiania, 7:04.22. COGLESS PARIS: Sami-finale, that most: 7, Norway, 623.04; 2, Seri, Germany, 623.63; 3, Canada, 623.24. Second race: 1, Notherlands, 623.24. Spain, 640.39; 3, Soviet Union, 624.58; 2, Spain, 640.39; 3, Soviet Union, 625.58; 2, Spain, 640.39; 3, Spain, 640.39; 3,

6:45.58. SINGLE SCULLS: Semi-finale, first race: 1, P.-M. Kobe (NG), 6:59.53; 2, V. Lacine (C2), 6:55.18; 3, K. Broniewski (Pol), 6:57.59. Second race: 1, U. Mand (EG), 6:54.53; 2, C. Wood (US), 6:56.19; 3, V. lekouche (USSR), 6:56.66.

**Results from Flushing Meadow** bit D Galin, 8-4, 6-1, 6-2; 8 Gottfried bt T Maryotte, 7-6, 2-6, 7-5, 8-2. September 2, 8-6, 7-5, 8-2. September 2, 8-6, 8-2, 15-6, 8-2, 15-6, 8-2, 15-6, 8-2, 15-6, 8-2, 15-6, 8-2, 15-6, 8-2, 15-6, 8-2, 15-6, 8-2, 15-6, 8-2, 8-2, 8-2, 15-6, 8-2, 8-2, 8-2, 8-2, 15-6, 15-

SECOND ROUND (US unless stated: (Aus) bt G Michines (Card), 6-4, 1-8, 7-4 haory bt P Michines (Card), 6-4, 6-4, 7-4, 5: E Tellacher bt S Giscomalys, 5-2, 6-6 8, 6-2; A Jarryd (Swe) bt S Merster, 6-4, 6-7, 6-8; S Manson bt T Smid Cod.

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Two seeds were removed from the women's event - Barbara Pottor by Lisa Bonder, of Michigan, aged 17, who maintained her form remrkably well to win 7-5, 6-7, 7-6, and Claudia Khode by Bonnie Gadusek, of Florida. Andrea Temesvari, aged 17, beat Virginia Wade, 38, 6-2, 6-3, in a match that did not begin until almost midnight.

Perhaps the most indicrous feature of these championships, n

view of these champsonships, it view of their status, is disparity in playing conditions between daylight on the one hand and floodlighting on the other. A notable result in a

woman's event occurred when a quaifier, Grace Kim, aged 15, beat the accomplished Beth Herr, 6-2, 5-7, 6-0 in site of a nose-bleed and a

mild attack of cramp in her stomach

**WOMEN'S SINGLES** 

WOMERT'S SHOULES
SECOND ROUND: P Hy (HK) bt S Simmonds
(f), 6-3, 6-1; P Vasquaz (Peru) bt C Tarvier (P1),
6-3, 6-6; H Suicove (Cc) bt I. Forood, 6-1, 63; B Gadusek bt C Kohde (WG); I. Bonder bt B
Potter, 7-5, 6-7, 7-8; A Tennesveri (Hun) bt V
Wade (GB), 6-2, 6-3; G Kim bt B Herr, 6-2, 5-7,
6-0; J Durle (GB) bt E Incove (List), 7-5, 6-3; P
Stative bt J Hephorr, 6-4, 6-3; P Tesquarden bt
K Steinmetz, 6-0, 6-3; K Jordan bt M Lovie, 6-1,
6-1; H Mandistova (Cz) bt K Horvath, 7-5, 7-8.

The following results were received too late for inclusion in early

ROWING Three finals for Britons From Jim Railton, Duisburg, West Germany

finals of the world rowing championships on Duisburg's semi-final rounds. The single sculler, John Melvin, and the lightweight four compete in finals today, and the heavyweight coxed four have qualified for their final tomorrow.

place by the newcomer, Virginia Gilder, of the United States.

The British men's lightweight coxless four, rowed with style and determination, almost touching 40 strokes a minute for the last 500 strokes a minute for the last 500 metres of their semi-final. Before their last effort, Rutain were in fourth place but, as the lead changed continually, they moved into overdrive and passed Netherlands and Switzerland to finish in second place behind Spain. The British four recorded the second fastest semi-final time and must have a shareful.

final time and must have a chance

LIGHTWEIGHT
COXLESS FOURS: Semi-finals. First race: 1, haly, 609,000; 2, Destrant, 6:10,10; 3, Canada, 6:11,14. Second race: 1, Spain, 6:07,00; 2, Britain & Batten & Batten, Canada, S-fortee, 6,08,27, 3, Netherlands, 8:08.53, Other placing. 5. Indiand. SINGLE SCULLS: Sensi-finate. First race: 1, P Fucine (US), 7.05.38; 2, G Naufoks (WG), 7.07.11; 3, B Eteng, (DEN), 7.08.65; Second race: 1, A Policick (AUS), 7.08.03; 2, J Mohin (GB), 7.06.73; 3, R Halbert (Austria), 7.08.63. DOUBLE SCULLS: Sens-finals: First mass 1, indy, 6:22.24; 2, France, 8:24.06; 3, Carnele, 8:25.90, Second race: 1, Denmari, 6:26.24; 2, West Germany, 6:27.98; 3, Switzerland,

629.82.

MEAVYWEIGHT
CORED FOURS: Semi-finals: First mor: 1,
New Zesland, 8:09.24; 2, East Garmany,
8:10.83; 3, Candrostoraldia, 6:13.07; Second
mor: 1, Societ Union, 6:06.16; 2, West
Germany, 6:10.36; 3, Britain () McNafi, J
Beattle, M Cross, P Budgett, A Shermany,
6:13.96.

DOUBLE SCHALS: Senti-finals: first race: 1, Norway 8:15:33; 2, West Germany 8:15:77; 3, Finland 8:16:24. Second race: 1, East Germany 6:15:77; 2, United States 6:17:36; 3, Canada 6:17:59; 2. Women

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CRICKET: A TROPHY AND A TITLE STILL HANG IN THE BALANCE

## Essex denied a clear win Nothing Kent's concern will by Jefferies and Allott

Essex needed 162 to win with the

a burlier version of Graham Garlow, and McEwan had taken the

score to 57 for two,

It was a hopeless pitch for hurrying McEwan's back foot force refused to work so did Gladwin's powerful kelt hander's drive. Despite

that they had added 68 in 20 overs when Gladwin, slow to see the certainty of a second run to long leg (Chadwick) was run out, One run later by when it was raining. Watkinson bowled McEwan.

pts) drew with Essex (6).

If 'Middlesex' should win the time play restarted with lunch taken, it was 1.10. At 1.40, with the Schweppes, they must send Jefferies and Allor's handsome present by adding 77 for the last wicker in the last wicker in the last wicker in the last with Phillip, had taken the new ball with Phillip, had taken the new ball at 231 for nine. It was not until 2.15 that Actield had Allou caught low Lancashire second innings, these two denied Essex a victory that would have put them 35 points clear of Middlesex and in an almost down at short extra cover.

weather worsening. By 2.40 even a Lancashire victory had become a possibility. Gooch had been caught at the wicket, driving at Albott and Hardie had edged Juliaries fast and Straight to first slip. At its Gladwin, a burier weather. As it is, Essex, with one match to play, lead Middlesex who have two matches left, by 19 points. Middlesex's remaining matches are against Northamptonshire at Lords (next Wednesday) and Nottingiam-Saturday). Whatever happens between Middlesex and Northamp-tonshie it is likely now to be the last

This was an extraordinary match at Old Trafford. On the first morning, when Laucashne were 57 for seven, with a makeshift side, there seemed limbe chance of their escaping. Even as late as 5.15 on Thursday it seemed doubtful whether they would take things into the last day. But Jefferies made his highest first-class score and Allott

righly coached No 8 than a No 11. From first thing yesterday Essex were in a race with the weather. When play began, Lancashire were 208 for nine, 85 ahead. After 40

## At 4.35 they went off, rain-thickening despite the ferocity of the wind. They never came back. Easex were 71 runs short of winning, six fewer than Jefferies and Allott had added. It would have been a pity if the weather, having denied Middlessex their chance, had spared Easex. Essex could, and perhaps should have won without that. Damp and gloomy end A quick end to the Bristol season

By Alan Gibson

BRISTOL: Gloucestershire (8 pts)

drew with Worcestershire (3)

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On the other hand, a bitter wind, It was a dismal end to the Bristol season. GRIP has been away all week. I inquired whether she was on holiday and was told, "Not exactly. She's entertaining visitors", which sounded rather sinister. The purpurcous Basil had no further stories of attorney-generals and left carly. But the weather, as I warned it wish he was chieffu to blame. On the other hand, a bifter wind, came to supplement the damp and gloom and fielding must have been very uncomfortable. At one time the middle canvas section of the sight screen at the Orphanage end kept blowing up and down; to and fro, "like Fred trying to leave the mgby club", observed one of the JJ? society of its most venerable nember.

A long break, causing an early, and extended tea interval made a full colon: and shortly before half past five everybody settled for a full

in the morning Gloucestershire were 72 for three, 170 shead. They lost a couple more wickers, both to young Newport from High Wyoombe, who bowled on the quicker side of medium. He bowled Bainbridge, who had reached a Bainbridge, who had reached a competent 50, and had Cuming-ham leg-before first ball. At lunch Gloucestershire were 174 for five after 56 overs. I thought Graveney

own worestershire out.

A quarter of an hour had been lost at the start, and the afternoon was punctuated by frequent semi-colous for rain and bad light. Graveney did not declare until he was 302 ahead, leaving Wortester-

Gloucestershire nevertheless looked as if they might snatch a win when the first three wickens that at 14. Weston was campit at ship off Shepherd, Neale — who has not had a lucky match — was leg-before institute same over, and McEvoy was caught at the wicket off Sainsbury in the pert.

Patel and Curtis held the imings together, which was to their credit, since they suffered so many ns, and by the time the

## COM IS WIND 1-14,2-14,3-14. EALL DEVECTION: 1-14,2-14,3-14. EOWN MC STREAM 75-18-2 Salmbury 3-2-15-1: Balbirton-4-1-7-2; Caldis 8-3-14-1; Ca Marshall cuts through with a hat-trick

Total (3 width)

Malcolm Marshall configured his magnificent form with a heartick for Hampshire against Somerset yesterday but the rain ruined his good work at Taunton. The West Indian all-rounder finished his for 46 including four wickets in five balls as he became the first three bowler to achieve a hather three fours and a six when the immings ended at 265. trick since 1972. He reduced Somerset to 86 all out.

Hampshire were in the driving seat chasing 155 in 192 minutes until the weather took a hold. They reached 41 for one in nine overs before rain ended the match: Somerset had begun at 47 for three with Roebuck going on to make 20 in 25 overs as Marshall ripped through his team. Cowley chipped in with four for 10. During the gale force conditions the River. End sightscreen was blown over and put out of action.

out of action. SCARBOROUGH: Superb 'outcricket brought the New Zealanders a win by 119 runs in the last game of

their tour against Brian Close's XI.
They now fly home tomorrow
unbeaten outside the Test series. Close's XI needed to make 373 in six hours but 58 minutes were lost to rain in the morning. The strong wind caused hot drinks to be brought out and the umpires had to abandon the use of the bails.

## Sussex 296 to win in 220 minutes. But Surrey were handscapped as their West Indian fast bowler, Clarke, was unable to bowl because of a pulled back muscle. Before the final Sussex assuitt from Mendis, who was held heits because of his injured finger, and Gould, Standing heised Invaria add Gould, Standing heised Invaria add 95. But when Shikking and Greig left in successive overs Sussex were still 72 short at 224 for six. Other scoreboards

Total (7 wide) ....

2015 NG Thomas 12-60-2 Waterman 8-6-60 Payer 3-0-78-0; Prozock 16-1-60-2 Unight 12-0-68-3; Blatcher 1.1-0-11-0.

D B Close's XI v NZ

Esgar 200).
Second Irelage: 247 for 6 dec (N. D. Grewe-110 act cut. J. J. Growe-65).
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Somerset v Hampshire Sussex First brings 302 for 4 day Brinds Somerset v Hampshire Street First brings 302 for 4 day Brinds Street Brinds Stre Second Innings
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C M Water & Knight b Thomas
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Than t Clarke b Knight
D K Blanding & Clarke b Pocock
I A Strug as Richards b Volght
II Mandel b Knight

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-7, 2-40, 3-47, 4-53, 5-75, 6-81, 7-81, 8-81, 9-81, 10-86. BOWLING: Marshall 12-1-45-6; Malone: 10 22-0; Contay 15-10-10-4; Smith 1-1-0-0.

MANUFACTURE First innings 253 for 3 dec (M.C.) Nicholan 85 not out, C.G. Grandidge 70, T.E. Jesty 61). Second innings. C G. Greenidge not out \_\_\_\_\_ C L. Smithe Gard b Dredge....

Treat (1 wid) ... POWERS Dradge 5-0-25-1; Poppler 12-0. Umphies A Japanos and R Palmer.

Surrey v Sussex Stimber\*: First inches 388 (D B Pauline 115, R D V Knight 75, M A Lynch 53). Second insings A R Buscher a sub b Walter. 73 DB Paulines not 615. 73 Rf A Lynch not 616. 45. Echas (b.5, bb.4, n-b.1)

Total (1 wite dec) 

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G.Foliller c.R.E. East b Phillip
M.Chadwick 1-b w b Acfield
S.J.O'Shroughnessy c and b.R.E. East
P.C. Hinyen b Acfield c Cooch b Adleid

ESCENC First havings 245 (D & Best 61).

Total 44 wides

David East has been named wicketkeeper of the year in a scheme organised by Gordon's Gin. East, aged 24, will receive a silver trophy, a cheque for £2,000, built of which goes to his county, and bail gallon of the county.

BOWLING: Jefferies 8-2-15-1; Alicet 6-2-17-1; O'Shaughnesy 3-0-18-0; Watcheon 7-1-25-1; Stemons 5-3-5-0;

## thanks to the spinners

Leicester: Leicestershire (24 pts) beat Kent (7) by eight wickets. Leicestershire, after a most suprising turn of events, comfortably won their last home match of the season by eight wickets. This was their ninth championship success. What had promised to be a long, drawn-out affair was over by three o'clock, the Leicestershire spinners, though curiously not consolations for Kent were that no one else was injured and they were on the road to Lord's well before tea.

w G Grace on inclement days used to fortify himself with a large whisty and angusture bitters. There is no knowing what he would have required at Leicester yesterday, when a himself himself himself and the pavilion aimput took off. The play was as valent as the weather, Kent dealing in since and front until disease. volent as the weather, Kent dealing in sixes and fours until disaster overnok them. Sixteen for two wickets overnight, they reached III for four with Hinks and Aslett, striking ferocious blows before seeking the sanctuary of the pavillon.

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Enriter, Axiest made his second fifty of the match, in almost exactly the same time. 90 minutes, as the first, and with the same number of fours and pixes.

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a six when the immings ended at 265.

THE CVAIT Susser singed to their third champlouship victory of the season, and their first since Jone, when filey best Suney for three wickets in a shilling finish. Susser where was again, Junian Khan, who followed his inheaten first immings 124 with a disabing 18 off only 68 balls. He hat there gives and more fours.

Surrey cames declared their second manage at 209 for one for the loss of only Butcher (76) to set Sussex 296 to win in 220 minutes. But Surrey were hundlespood as FALL OF MORETS: 1-0, 2-16, 3-16, 4-51, 5-111, 6-112, 7-113, 8-13, 9-113, 10-113. DOWN.ING: Taylor 3-2-51; Cook 15-4-45-1; Specia 7.3-3-12-3; CBR 15-4-42-4. Balderspage 112, R W Tolchard St; D L
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W Tolchard not out...... strae & S. J. b 3, n-b & Fall-OF WICKETS: 1-48; 2-84.

BOW(3402 James 1-1-0-0; Undervo 33-2 Johnson 13-2-31-0; Taylor Symon,4:1-12-0.

## Opportunity takes a knock for Notts

TRENT BRIDGE. Nottinghamshire (B) pt. A startly inthings of 50 not out by Paul Sanith, who was ably supposted by Notinghamshire and Lord ware going so well that it did look as if Nottinghamshire had made a grave mistake. Yet, Nottinghamshire were back in the the eighth wicket, and had light, which stopped play at 20 minutes to five. Compliance, to demy Nottinghamshire were back in the hunt again when Cooper ran out Lord with a brilliant throw from long log, and two catches by French off Hemmings and Hendrick to put Amiss and Old had Warwick-inter by war immings.

Warwickshire started the day 249 runs lighted and the weather, as Warwickshire started me may 207 runs behind and the weather, as firecast, was cloudy, cool and windy with rain not far sway. After five overs from Hendrick and Cooper, the umpires twice discussed a poor light and then we had a light shower of rain. But, play continued, the of rain. But, play, continued, the light improved and by kinch the sun-was altining. Nottinghamshine thought that to be very encouraging

because four wickets had fallen for 93 runs and Warwickshire, still 167 runs behind, were looking far from comfortable.

Lloyd had batted well to make a second half-century before pulling away from a ball from Saxelby which dipped his glove and carried to Hendrick at second slip. That was

Second lesings

to stir spirit

HEADINGLEY: Yorkshire (4pts) drew with Middlesex (4).
Middlesex shipped futher behind in the championship race yesterday when rain disrupted what promised to be an exciting finish. Yorkshire left the reigning champions a target of 340 in 225 minutes, but the weather allowed them only two 50weather allowed them only two 50-minute periods of play, in which they made a spirited 125 for two. It was a melancholy finish for Middlesex, whose only consolation as they left Leeds was the match in land they self believes the match in hand they still hold over their rivals, Essex and Hampshire. Illingworth's declaration was well judged and was made possible by an aggressive hundred by Bairstow. It called for Middlesex to average 90 an hour, and this became 120 after the first hold-up. Further rain finally led to the game being abandoned 90 minutes from the sheduled end.

All day the weather bederilled the All day the weather bedevilled the efforts of both teams, beginning with a delayed start and followed later by an early lunch. In all Yorkshire, resuming at 137 for five, batted for a further 70 minutes, with Bairstow and Carrick making their unbeater sixth weeker stand nearth.

This was Bairstow's finird century for Yorkshire and after his stirring first innings 36 it completed a spendid match double for him. He also passed 1,000 runs in a season for the second time, a milestone only Arthur Wood, in 1935, among Yorkshire wicketkeepers, has previously reached.

unbeaten sixth-wicket stand worth

Bairstow cut and drove Daniel for in 112 minutes. Middlesex, anxious to speed the declaration, helped him through the nineties, but it was a significant innings and meant that Yorkshire's own chances of winning were far from negligible. Carrick straight drove Emburey for one six Middlesex, who, of course, would

nave responded to any chaitenge, were given the best possible start by Barlow and Miller, without taking blatant risks, they kept the score mounting. At times the light was dreadful, and with occasional drizzle the bowlers were handicapped by a wet ball. The score was \$200.000. 58 when the players went off for the first time and tea was taken during

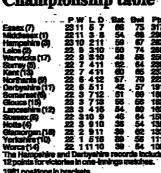
When play resumed Barlow began to drive fluently, but at 102 he was caught behind off Stevenson after making \$8 in 75 minutes. Miller was out in the next over. He never showed the same timing as Barlow, but seemed to be over the worst when he drove down the wrong line against Fletcher and had his leg stump knocked back. Gatting and Radley desperately tried to gather momentum as the water workers but her banks there were recovered but for like these water workers. gather momentum as the weather worsened, but finally there was no option for anyone but to call a balt. YORKSHIRE: First Incings 283 (D.L. Bairstow 86, A Stockettor: 78, W.F. Williams;5 for 77)

BOWLDIG: Daniel 10-8-41-1; Williams 10-3-25-1; Edmondo 24-6-72-0; Hughes 4-1-6-1; Emburey 18-1-58-2; Gelting 4.2-0-27-0; Tomins 2-0-8-0. MICOLESEX: First innings 206 for 4 dec (M

Total (2 wkts) ...

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-102-2-104. 80WLNG: Dennis 9-0-45-0; Stevenson 8.5-1-38-1; Mingworth 2-0-7-0; Flotcher 6-0-23-1. Umpires: CT Spencer and R.A.Whita.

Championship table



Warwickshire: First lurings 180 T.A. Lloyd 70, GJ Lord 61; X.E. Cooper 5 for 46)

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D L Arsine o Preach is Hendrick
G I Lord market
P A Smith not out
C M Old o French is Hendrick
M Giffern inch out Total I7 wide) .....

FALL OF WICKETE: 1-68, 2-69, 3-77, 4-43, 5-158, 6-199, 7-218. BOWLING: Hendrick 247-552; Security 19.1-3-78-2; Cooper 18-2-48-0; Hennings 29-1-45-2; Bore 9-1-8-0. MOTTINGHAMSHINE: First Innings: 449 dec (R T Robinson 2017, J D Strich 90). Umpires: D R Shepherdand P 8 Wight. Match abandoned

CARDIFF: Northemptonshire 528 for 6 dec (W Laritos 252, A.J. Limb 119; Glemorgen 163 Li A. Carte 5 for 43) and 50 for 1 (Bowling: Additude: 62-16-1; Glimber 6-1-27-0; Williams 4-3-2-0; Carse 5-3-3-0; Glemorgen (4 pin) drew with Northemptonshire (8). SECOND XI COMPETITION 259.
COVERTHY: Somerast 256 for 5 dec (N Russons 157, I Cox 62, 61, Hell 54 not out; and 205 for 7 dec (P A Secondes 100 not out; S P Suddiffic 4 for 57); Warwickshire 200 for 5 dec (D A Thorse SS, G A Technicus 78 not ust) and 174 for 5 (M P Mathema 78; G S Hell 5 for 61).

## be to halt the Middlesex Caribbean march

The figal of the NatWest Trophy at Louf's today (10.30) between Somerset and Kent is more than a meeting of sides; it is a clash of two different concepts. Somerset lean heavily on their two superstans from the Caribbean. Richards and Garner, Kent, to their credit and good fartune, are able to rely almost entirely on their own nurseries.

The development of several of Kent's young butsunes has been one of the most encouraging features of the English season. Had Woolmernot damaged a disc while bowling at Leicester on Thursday and supparently ruled himself out, they would have had to onsit as good a player as Neill Taylor. On their staff as several others (a third Cowdrey, Caaham, among them) who would very soon be smalled up by other counties if they were to come on to the Reason and Hedges in 1978; Somerset's last, also in the Beason and Hedges was last year. Of the

expected to make.

Somerset are hot favourites. In Richards they have the world's best battuman and in Garner arguably the batteman and in Garmer arguably the most effective bowler there is in this type of cricket. Their records at Lord's in the one-day competitions (including the Prudestial World Cap but excluding the John Player League) are awesome. In 10 innings Richards has scored 670 runs at an average of 171.66. Garner, in eight matches, has taken 28 wickets for 199 runs in 86.3 overs.

At the start of their innings today Kent will be concerned simply to keep Garner at hay. Now that Botham is not the bowler he was, Somerset's supporting attack is not particularly formidable. Richards and Marks are steady, Richards with little cutters which are selious collared; Dredge is an honest retainer.

What pulled Somerset through to today's final was, in fact, Botham's superb 96 not out against Middlesex in the semi-final, combined with his captaincy. He could be in need these days of an incentive when playing

Kent's last Lord's final was in the Beason and Hedges in 1978; Somerset's last, also in the Beason and Hedges, was last year. Of the Kent side that played five years ago Tavaré, Cowdrey, Johnson, Underwood, Jarvis (if he plays) and Woolmer (if he is fit) will take the field again today. Shepherd, Rowe and Downton have transferred to other counties; Asif Iqhal and Eatham have retired. The only "migrant" in the present Kent side is Haptiste, a dashing Antignan who will open the bowling. The second fast bowling place rests, as it did in their semi-final side against Warwickshire, between Dilley and Jarvis, with Dilley's fitness likely to decide it.

totaly, it was the commune, us started, on Monday. This has happened only twice before in a total of 34 Lord's finals, neither time after usually is, the match is a sell-out. ISSTRAÎLY IS, IDE MIRICE IS A SELF-UNIS-ICENT (from): C J Tiesen's (captain), R A Woolmer, M R Benson, N R Tytor, D G Asiet, C S Cowdray, E A Babtissa, A P E Koott, R M Ellison, G W Johnson, G R Dilley, D L Underwood, K S Jarvis, L Potter, S G Hinks.

Umpires: D J Constant and D G L Evens.



Baptiste: luck turned

## Baptiste hopes to be on the right footing

At Lord's today, Eldine Baptiste, the latest Kest startet to come to the fore, will have to wear new boots. His old heky ones, to his chagrin worn out, were kanded on by his hero, mentor and fellow-Antignan, Vivian Richards, who more than anyone has helped make a cricketer of him. Perhaps by a kind twist of fate, they now oppose each other in fate, they now oppose each other in the course of the representative team for herause I was still at of him. Perhaps by a kind twist of fatte, they now oppose each other in the shawpiece of English cricket.

At times cajoling, at times comforting, Richards has continually taken an interest in Buptiste's cureer. He and Andy Roberts feel, no doubt, they have a responsibility to develop cricket in Antigna. Just as Buptiste is Richard's protégé, so Ferris, of Leicestershire, is Roberts's. Ferris is on standby for West Indies' forthcoming tour of runs then anyone else, but I was left out of the representative team for two years because I was still at school," he said.

Baptiste, who bats aggressively and howls lively seam-up, was spotted by Kest in 1979, and invited for a trial. First he had to suffer comparison with Shepherd, the backbone of the Kent team. Next, his way was barred by Asif Ighal, through the regulations limiting overseas players.

All the while, Baptiste was never on more than a one-year contract.

West halles' forthcoming tour of India; Baptiste's place is booked.

The final today is the culmination of an extraordinary 12 weeks for Baptiste, now aged 23, who has latterly been straighting against an injured muscle in his side. Unable to get into the Kent trans at the on more than a one-year contract. His luck turned when West Indies included him in a World Cup warmget into the Keut team at the beginning of the season, he felt like **Ivo Tennant** 

## **Chance of consolation** for Young England

once, though, the midss touch described him. Rose, who is one of the Middlesex young brigade, soon trapped him leg-before. By Ive Temant CHELMSFORD: Australia Young Cricketers, with seven wickets in hand, need 206 runs to beat England Neither Veletta nor Bradley rana, need 200 rans to best Engiana
Young Cricketers.
Cricket is indeed a great leveller,
particularly where predictions are
concerned. England's chances of
victory after Thursday's play
seemed slim at best. Yesterday they
turned the game on its head, and 17 the youngest Australian on this tour, showed why he is regarded as one of their most promising players. In between rain squalls - there were four stoppages in the day - he batted with time to spare in taking his side today, the last day, have the chance to gain a consolation win in the final to 94 for three at the close.

Rhodes and Pick made their partnership, unbesten overnight, worth 122 runs in 160 minutes, Second Invitige
A A Metcatle of Remainer b Dodern
P Johnson I-b-w b Dodern
Morris b Knight.
N C Lenham e McNigora b Dodern
R J Belloy b Marker.
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R J Belloy b Marker.
A Dodernaide b Mulder.
A Golding o Diura b Dodernaide
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P M Such o sub b Mulder.
Edras (4-b. 17, w 7, n -b. 2) True, Australia were without their two opening bowlers, Dodemaide and Connors, who had leg injuries, but it was a fine stand Australia were set 300 to win, the ausurana were set 300 to win, the target at one stage having seemed unlikely to be more than 150. Dodemaide, his injury notwithstanding, opened the batting. For

NatWest Trophy Final LORD's: Kenty Someost (10.30 to 7,30)

TOMORROW

Other match

FALL OF WECKETS: 1-16, 2-17, 3-19, 4-30, 5-85, 8-106, 7-145, 8-168, 9-290, 10-334.

BOWLING: Dodermide 21-7-41-4; Knight 19-3-49-2; Cornors 4-9-24-0; Makfar 30.4-9-92; Edyand 28-8-73-2; McNamar 15-1-45-0; Veleta 2-0-7-0. **TODAY'S FIXTURES** AUSTRALIA. YOUNG .CRICKETERS: innings 234 (C E Bradley 100; P M Such John Pleyer League
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A I C Dodemaids I-b-w b Rose
G E Bradley c Rhodes b Rose
D J Raminus not cet.
DE Mailless Total (Swide) FALL OF WICKETS: 1-7, 2-22, 3-84

GOLF

## Magician Aoki and another fairy-tale

on a day of fierce, binstery wind and for £6 a night with bed and rain in the European Open, sponsored by Panasonic, at Sunningdale yesterday. But there have been changes among his nearest on the course a cross between Lee

on the course a cross between Lee Trevino and Toulouse-Lauree. From the waist up, with his white regions, with his abbreviated legs, he is Toulouse-Lauree. Craig Francis, the amateur, proved conclusively that his first-round 66 had indeed been a "fiveminute fairy-tale" with a second round of 80 which meant that he missed the 36-hole cut. Nor could Ewan Murray sustain his form, although his 77 just allowed him to fight another day on 143.

Second place is now shared by a motley gathering on 136, consisting of Michael King – like Francis a Sumingdale member of engagingly raffish character – who had a round of 63 yesterday, Jerry Anderson, of Canada, 65, and John Bland, of South Africa, 67.

Nick Faldo, with a second round of 69 and a total of 137, is well placed. But, temporarily no doubt, Severiano Ballesteros, the favourite, lies among the also-rans after a depressing 75 and a total of 143.

A distinguished victim of the guillotine was Larry Nelson, the United States Open champion, on 145, which was one stroke too many. His five at the last, giving him a second-round 75, was crucial.

For Aoki, yesterday was a holding operation, holding what he had after a first-round 65, five under par for the Old course. King insisted that he had had the best of the weather with an early tee time. His golfing persons is in sharp contrast to the atrovert charmer we know off the out there. But he employed what he called a certain native conning yesterday, reeling off 16 successive pars after opening with two birdies which needed putts of only four feet

With respect to Aoki, King and Bland, Anderson was the character of the day, a man who exists at the other end of the social spectrum to Francis. Times are hard in Canada, he says, and without any sponsors he is hungry for success.

He prefers the courses of the European circuit, with their differ-ing characteristics, to those el-

BOXING

# Califord (Aust) 70, 72; C Meson 69, 75; G Brand, Inr 72, 70; B Barrise 67, 75; M Calinn (Sp.) 72; 70; D Fehrerly 57, 75; C Debyy 68, 74, 145; S Belestence (Sp.) 68, 76; J Chenyy 71, 72; D Smyth 70, 75; E Marray 68, 77; M Gregaon 68, 75; T Horton 72, 71; G Normen (Aust) 71, 72; K Brown 72, 71; M Pinero (Sp.) 70; 75; J Hawkes 684) 70, 73; W McColl 70, 75; R Drummond 68, 75; J Garmer 70, 74; 146; J Hell 69, 75; I Woosman 69, 75; M Garcia (Sp.) 71, 73; G Brandt 70, 74; S Hobdey (Zm.) 71, 73; B Longmair 71, 73; B Waltes 71, 75; R Charles (AZ) 68, 75; S Kappler 72, 72; A Stutter 70, 74; S Lyle 70, 74; W Hamphreys 71, 73; H-P Trus (MG) 70, 74.

This is his second season in Europe and so far his best finish is sixth in last year's French Open. Yesterday's round was, he insists, the best he has ever played.

Perhaps the luck went a little his

way, for he cannot hope too often to hole from 50 feet, as he did at the fifth yesterday or still more significantly, to chip in from 25 yards for an eagle three at the fourteenth. He played splendidly in

the conditions — as befits a man brought up in the windy climes at Thunderbird, near Toronto — but the elements descated him at the

Standing over a six-foot putt for a share of the lead, Anderson was blown off balance by a sudden gust

despite his low centre of gravity. "I should have backed away." he said

afterwards, "but I made a last-ditch effort and it didn't work". Is this,

SECOND ROUND: 138: I Acki (Jap) 65, 70, 138: M King 68, 68; J Anderson (Carl) 71, 68; J Shard (SA) 68, 67; TSP: N Faido 68, 69, 138: H Salocchi (SA) 68, 70; W Grady (Aust) 68, 69; C Hardy 67, 71; G Cullen 67, 71; B18: D Durnlam 68, 71; J Anglada (So) 70, 69, 146: J M Caritzares (Sc) 70, 70; D Jagger 68, 72; M Ferson (Sw) 67, 73; D Berton 70, 70; M Ferson (Zwn) 70, 70; V Fernandez (Ard) 70, 70; H Jennes 67, 73; B Langer (MS) 68, 72; D Frost (SA) 67, 73, 141: M Potton 68, 72; D Frost (SA) 67, 73, 141: M Potton 68, 72; D Frost (SA) 67, 73, 141: M Potton 68, 72; D Frost (SA) 67, 72; B Carrance 68, 73; D Vaughan 69, 72; 142; T Charriery 73, 69; H Henning (SA) 77, 74; S Tournence 68, 73; D Vaughan 69, 72; 146; N Carrance 68, 73; D Vaughan 69, 72; T Saloconson (US) 71, 71; J Callord (Aust) 70, 72; C Meson 69, 73; G Erand, pr 72, 70; S Berres 67, 73; M Callan Frand, pr 72, 70; S Berres 67, 73; M Callan

### **Praise for** Wallace

Keith Wallace earned high praise from Mike Barrett, his rival's promoter after his points defeat of the Mexican Juan Diaz, on Thursday, But Barrett who runs in opposition to Wallace's manager opposition to Wallace's manager Frank Warren, and stages the world champion, Charlie Magn's contests, also rejected hopes of a future meeting with Magni in spite of Warren's £75,000 offer.

The only way he can fight Magni is to be the official number one contender when the time comes for a mandatory title defence, There are a lot of tough Mericans between a lot of tough Mexicans between him and number one and I cannot

Meanwhile Warren is now in Meanwhile Warren is now in Sicily hoping to contact representatives of the WBA flyweight champion, Santos Laciar, the Argentinian whom Magri outpointed in a non-title bout in 1980. Wallace is also due to fight for the European title

### **ATHLETICS**

### Coe has a rare illness

he suffering from a rare glandular complaint after exhaustive tests in a Leicester hospital, doctors say there is absolutely no doubt that this alone would have been responsible for his recent disappointing performances. Coe is having treatment and is multicely to restart training for several months.

The olympic 1,500 metres chemican and world 200 metres.

The olympic 1,500 metres champion and world 800 metres record holder, Cae made a late withdrawal from Britain's team for the recent world championships in Helsiaki after suffering a major loss of form and four defeats in five races. He was admitted to Groby Hospital, Leicester, on August 3 for a two-day period of intensive tests.

Dr Karl Nicholson, a consultant in infectious diseases, said: "Coe is suffering from glandular toxoplasmosis, an unusual infection that can resemble glandalar fever and is reported in fewer than 200 people in the UK each year."

#### IN BRIEF

### Roberts's last chance Kenny Roberts, the former world Spencer leads the championship by sampion, who must finish at least five points and Sunday's race will be

champion, who must finish at least two places in front of young Freddie Spencer to win the World Cham-

Roberts put in a lap of 1min 59.64sec on his Yamaha although

BASEBALL

the last grand prix of the season. HOCKEY: Tarassa, as the only pionship in Italy tomorrow, man-aged to put eight riders between for the 1984 European club them at the end of the first day's practice yesterday, Adrianae Blue writes. Sydney Frinkin writes. The Soviet Union are now more keen on running the 1987 European nations the track at Imola was extremely slippery because of ram. Spencer was way behind on the first Honda, managing only 2min 04.31sec.

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#### FOR THE RECORD

AMERICAN LEAGUE: Toronto Elus Jays 5, Batimora Orioles 3, Calcago Willie Sox 12, Kansas City Royals C, Datroit Tigars 5, Taxosa Rangues C, Minseota Twins 11, Booton Red Sox 0 and 3-9; Osidand Athletics 2, New York Yericasa O. HATIONAL LEAGUET Montreal Expos S. Los MATIONAL LEAGUET Montreal Expos S. Los Angeles Dodgers 2; St Louis Cardinals S. Adlanta Braves 3; Principinis Phillips 4, San Francisco Gierris 2; Houston Astros 3, Prisburgh Piratus 0; Chicago Cubs 3, Cincinnad Rads 1.

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and P Montafusco (ft), 47.5; 3, D and I Jarrett
(GB), 42.7; 4, L Wrobel and T Stoold (Pol), 55.0;
5, D Papponet and J. Pitter (Fr), 64; 67
Repoonet and P Champsious (Fr), 68.
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FOOTBALL. zew Lodz 1. Gornik Webszych D. AMERICA CUP: Bruzil S, Ecuador 1; Uruguny 2, Chile 1.

Hankin transfer

## Saronni will find it difficult to stave off challenge

starters in the men's attractor and professional championships is as simple as it will be to break through the Swiss security cloak that that makes impossible unpaid entry unto the road race circuit of 14.994 kms.

In some respects, it is a circus a weekend when \$00,000 speciators from all over Europe 325 constitutions.

from all over Europe are congregating on the hillside above the mirror-like Lake Constance to cheer on their of wine, 100.000 litres of mineral water (it is Switzerland), and to consume a predicted 150,000 arrow section of the circuit. After overnight rain vesterday was all the constant of the circuit of

won last year at Goodwood by Guiseppe Saronni in a demonstration of Latin exhaberance. Few expect him to do a repeat. The Italian's health has declined since he

won the Tour of Italy in June.
He had 40 days off the bike, and
he has finished only a handful of
races since, including a further
week's absence after a crash. It may towards Roberto Viscotini, who has become more ambitious since he Games profit finished second to Saronni in his

best form with two major victories sale of commemorative articles.

"It's just a circus." an American presenter for the NBC TV network when he was trying to locate competitors in this weekend's three road races, the climax of the 1983 world cycling championships. And he just wanted to talk to the American riders.

In other words, making a comprehensive assessment of the respective chances of the 460 or so starters in the men's amateur and professional championships is as simple as it will be to break through the Swiss security cloak that that makes impossible unpaid entry unto the road race circuit of 14.994 kms.

descent to their advantage. Kelly said yesterday that he had just completed the best week of training.

Sausages.

The supreme prize is that of professional world champion, a title word champion, a title word champion. A positive dope test has cost
West Germans Dieter Giebken and West Germans Dieter Giebken and Fredy Schmiedtke their tandemi bronze medal at the world championships, Rester reports. The International Cycling Union announced that Schmiedtke, and Giebken had been disqualified from Saturday's race in Zurich and had also received a one-month suspension

finished second to Saronni in his national tour.

Among the other names being proposed to win the rainbow jersey tomorrow are Marino Lejarreta, of Spain; Beat Brea, the little Swiss rider, who lives at St Gallen on the flanks of the championship circuit; Fons De Wolf, the enigmatic Belgian who has rediscovered his best form with two major victories sale of commemorative articles.

WEEKEND FIXTURES

Kick-off 3.0 unless stated Fourth division First division Bury v Bristol Elmingham v Watton Coichester v Biscico Crewe v Chesterfield Coventry v Evertors Hartiepcol v Aldershot Liverpool v Notim Forest. Northampton v Darlington Reading v Stockport. Swindon v Chester...

Falkirk v Raith

Morton y Hamilton .

Montrose v Fortar...

Queen's Park v Queen of South.

Stenhousemuk v Stirling A ..

Luton v Sunderland.... Norwich v Wolverhampton W. Notts County v Ipswich... OP Rangers v Aston Villa. enton v Arsenel . Torquay v Transere (7.20). Stoke v Manchester U. Wrexham v Peterborough. Second division Scottish premier division Brighton v Chelses. Aberdeen v St Johnstone .... Celtic v Rangers.

Cambridge U v Blackburn... Cardiff v Grimsby .... Dundee v Dundee U .... Derby y Swansea. Fulham v Portamouth Manchester C v Barnslev Middlesbrough v Laads Akdriecninski v Brechin. Allog v Maadowhank Newcastle v Oldham. Sheffield W v Carlisle. Ayr v Dumbarto Clydebank v Clyde.

Shrewsbury v Crystal Palace Third division Bradford C v Bolton Bristol R v Southend **Burnley v Bou** Cillingham y Huft. Lincoln v Sheffleid U Preston v Brentford

Rotherham v Port Vale.

Scunthorne v Exeter.

Wigan v Oxford U ... FOOTBALL COMBINATION: Arsenal v Birmingham; joswich v Brighton; Swansee v Oxford Utit; Watford v Norwich; West Ham v CP Rangers.

SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE: Senior Losgoe: Cambridge Utd v West Ham; Cheriton v Arsenat: Chelsea v Watford; Fuffarm v Tottenham H; Gillingham v Southend; Ipswich v Q P Rangers; Millwell v Portsmouth; Norwich v Orley.

Chert,
ALLIANCE PREMER LEAGUE: Altrinchem v
Waymouth; Bangor v Enfletd; Barnet v
Worcester; Frickley v Maktsoner, Kidderminnier v Bosson; Northwich v V Bettr; Nuceston v
Kettering; Runcom v Daganham; Scarborough
v Trowbridge; Telford Utd v Wealdstone; Yeovil
v Gatepring.

Rottering: Huncom v Degenatur, Scanschand, Verville V Trovbridge; Telford Util v Weeklastone; Yeovil v Gassehand.

18 THRIAN LEAGUE: Premier division: Dufwich H v Harrow; Harlow v Croydon; Hayes v Bishop's Stortford; Hitchin v Staires; Slough v Leytonstone and Mincri, Sunton Utv V Billerlay; Tooting and Mitchinn v Hendon; Wathamstow A v Birmeley; Worksham v Hendon; Wathamstow A v Birmeley; Worksham v Hendon; Wathamstow A v Birmeley; Worksham v Aveley; Epocom v Famboro; Hamphon v Tibury; Leatherhead v Boreham Wood: Matidenhead v Hartford; Wembley v Window and Eston. Second division: Barton R v Eghan; Hungerlord v Leyton-Wingate; Rainban v Contribian Castalis; Southelf v Grays A. Scholer; Horwich v Grantfern; Hyde Util v Matchock; Macclesfield v Morocambe; Mathew Mosseley; Oswestry v Burton A; Fifyl v Withon v Mosseley; Oswestry v Burton A; Fifyl v Withon v Chortey.

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SOUTHERN LEAGUE Premier division:
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NORTH-MEST COUNTIES LEAGUE: Gurzon Ashton v Lest; Darwen v Winston; Lancaster v Evencough: Permit v Leyand Motors; Starley v Endeston of Colory w Wilder Say: Cheating Waster v Suldion; Guisborough: Permit v Leyand Motors; Sarley v Crook; Seaham Red Sar v Bridington Trinty. Colvyn Bay v Enley; Cheating v Farry Line.

Sirect v Stildion; Guisborough: Permit V Leyand Motors; Apric Cables v Chester Carebridge C v Lytham. Warrington v Saltyridge Celic; Alfreton v Ashton; Conjeton v Certains, Wran R v Aprieby Frodingham: Belper v Bilston: Bridge v Willerhalt; Segoness v Thidate; Selectornal v Henderford: Beston v Grassier R Winterton R v Frier Lame OB; Highgats Und v Endegrout v Saltyridge Celic; Alfreton v Ashton; Worker Amphila Waller R Residency v Cableng v Deborough: Ly v Willerhalt; Segoness v Thidate; Selectornal v Henderford: Beston v Grassier R Winterton R v Frier Lame OB; Highgats Und v Endegrout v Chelling Motors, Marriage Borough v Challons & Buckinglam; Racker Willerham v Caretains (Caspina v Caretains); Challeng Starter v Chelling Waller v Chelling Notice, Stevensing Wallerham (Lawes v Henderson); Ly v Willerham v Chelling Wells; Cherry V Caston v Englishment v Chelling Wells; Cherry V Caston v Chelling R Colling Waller V Caston v Chelling R Colling

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... With one mind and one mouth gio-rity God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Romans 15:6.

ANNIH. On 27th August. At Clasgow Royal Maternity, to Espeth mee Digby Granti the wife of Dr Sayed Hassan Antin — a son Chassein Michaell, a brother for Maryam Louise.

Genura.

BLAKE. – On August 26, to Susan and John a boy Edward Allen. Rachel's brother.

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FERLANGER. — On August 51, 1983, to Caroline and Rodolphe a son, Leo Frederic Hugh. FYSH. - Or Aug. 3; at Kings College Hospital. London to Bronwyn and John, a son, William Jennes Henry, Maurice. a prother to Marcus. Andrew. Edward and Anna-Elizabeth.

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**ENTERTAINMENTS** SIX/SATURDAY

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BBC 1

Jewish story The Kolf's Hanukkah (r); 9.30 This is the

zine: music and dance:

6.25 Open University (until 8.55)

9.00 Camberwick Green; 9.15 Knock Knock: Includes the

Day: The speaker at

10.30 Closedown.

inquiry, conduct

11.25 YTS - A Training Revolution?

Clare, into what the Youth

Training Scheme is likely to offer school leavers. Many

interested parties take part in the debate; 12.55 Farming; 1.25 Setter than New;

repairing familiare with cane and rushes; 1.50 News.

Film of the Book: The Wicked

Lady (1945") Archetypal British costume melodrama of the 1940s, with bored rich girt

(Margaret Lockwood) throwing in her lot with highwayman

James Mason. From the Magdalen King-Hall novel. Directed by Lestie Arliss.

3.35 Offivia Newton-John: Her album Physical is given a visual dimension (r)-4.25

Alles Smith and Jones:

5.35 The Government inspector: Final episode of this

stern with a smile on its

lips, With Pete Duel, Ben Murphy (1); 5.10 Mickey and Donald: fun from Disney.

translated-to-Wales Schools

TV version of the Gogol play

starring Freddle Jones and Robin Nedwell (r); 6.05 News

inspiring story of Shirley Noisn's battle to save the fife of her young son Anthony, a

6.15 Resurrection: The moving and

rictim of bone marrow

6.35 Songs of Praise: from the

Summer Wine fame).

about a Runitanian

following in the firmer

7.15 Film: The Prisoner of Zenda

deficiency (from BBC 2).

Church of St Martin-on-the-

Hill, Scarborough, Includes a

chat with actress Kathy Staff

(Nora Batty, of Last of the

(1979) Spectacular and hit-

Anthony Hope swashbuckler

impersonation (Peter Sellers

footsteps of Ronald Colman

and Stewart Granger), with a

comedy writers Dick Clarner and Ian La Frenais, Co-

starring Lynne Frederick, Lionel Jeffries and Jeremy

Edwardian-type entertainment from the City Varieties, Leeds, with Les Dawson, Bernie

Clifton, Loma Dallas and Pete

Neville Marriner conducts the

Academy of St Martin-in-the-

Fields in performances of Britten's Les Muminations

Radio 4

6.25 Shipping Forecast.
6.30 News; Morning Has Broken.
6.55 Weather; Travel.
7.00 News. 7.10 Sunday Papers. 7.15
Apra Hi Gher Semajhiye. 7.45
Bells. 7.50 The Shape of God.
7.55 Weather; Travel;
Programme News.
8.00 News. 8.10 Sunday Papers.
8.15 Sunday.
8.50 Week's Good Cause: Opus,
voluntary groups which help

voluntary groups which help parents in danger of abusing their children. 8.55 Weather;

Travel; Programme News. 9.00 News. 8.10 Sunday Papers. 9.15 Latter rom America by Aliste

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Show 4: 'Round the World in 80
Days' (r).

12.30 Home-ing in Do-th-Yourself advice. 12.55 Weather.

1.00 The World This Weeksnd: News.

2.00 News; Gardeners' Question
Time visits West Yorkshire.

2.30 Afternoon Theatre: The Cricket
Match' by Hugh De Sellncourt. A
one-day encounter on a Sussex
village green. Adapted by John
Retallack (r).

value green. Address by John
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4.98 News; Origins – archaeology
(Sicily – a Roman shipwreck).
4.30 The Living World. On a
Pambrokeshire beach.
5.00 News; Travet; Programme
News; Down Your Way visits
Scarborough, North Yorks, 5.50
Shipping, 5.55 Weather.
6.05 News.

6.00 News. 6.15 Fat Man on a Roman Road. Tom

of boyhood in the Hebrides (4).
7.00 Travel: Programme News; Pay Any Price by Ted Alibeury (10).
7.30 A Good Read, Paperbase, With Silien Reynolds and Colin

Dement state site stary or motion Houdin's career - the father of modern stage madic. With Maurice Denham.? \$45 19gh Street Africa Revisited.

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rat want of a Homan Hoad. To Vermon rides from Exster to Edinburgh. Part three. Today, the Waters and the Wolds. Crotal and White, Finlay J. Macdonald continues his story of houses to the continues his story

Shaw. How to Become a Wizard, Paul Daniels tells the story of Robert

Skellern topping the bill. Leonard Sachs is the

remorselessly alliterative chairman: 9.55 News.

10.10 Sunday Night at the Pro

Kemp. Director; Richard

Quine.

9.00 The Good Old Days:

screenplay by seasoned

and-miss send-up of the

Winchester Prison is the chaptain, the Rev Larry

wnian; 10.00 Asian

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#### THE TIMES SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 3 1983

## Saturday

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Toni Arthur, John Noekes.

includes news at 7.00 and 8.00; Sport at 7.10; magazine with Paul Gambaccin, Bill Oddie and Paul Atterbury at

7.15; The Gambacchi Interview is with Edwin Starr;

Pirates of Penzance Intervie

at 8.14; Jackie Genove's

8.40 Summer Run: pop programme for the youngstere, includes a visit to Thorpe Park in

Chartsey, cartoons, interviews

(Gary Kemp from Spandau Ballet) etc.

ITV: LONDON

9.25 LWT information: what's on in the area; 9.30 Sesame Street: learning about life, with The

aerobics at 8.25

6.25 Good Morning Britain; with

Television and radio programmes **Edited by Peter Davalle** 

## Sunday

BBC 2

big sporting events today -Speedway, at 2.00, Cricket, at

2.20; and Motorcycling, at 2.46 (these are the times for first

6.25 Open University.

1.55 Sunday Grandstar

Grand Prix.

into the uncertain future. To

find out what might be in store

he travels to several countries

architectural historian Charles

Jencks looks for connexions

Graves, probably the leading architect in the United States

deception, entertainly demonstrated by Arthur Marshall, Mirlam Stoppard,

Derek Fowlds, Frank Mulr,

moments that mattered in

today's Sen Marino Grand Prix, and the World Individual

edway Final, from Norden

Gabrielle Drake and Sir Huw

Wheldon. Wittily conducted by

between Wright, the pre-Modernist master, and

9.15 Call My Bluff: The art of

Robert Robins

9.45 Grand Prix Special: The

in West Germany.

10.10 Film: The Last Picture Show

(1971") The soon-to-close

Texan town in the early 1950s

Bogadonivich's fine film about the lest act in the comedy

assumes the symbolic proportions of the end of an

movie house in the email

era - even the loss of-

drama of adolescence. Co-

starring Timothy Bottoms, Jeff Bridges, Cybill Shepherd and Ben Johnson. Ends at

innocence - in Peter

that have a big stake in civil aviation (r). 8.05 News: with

#### BBC:1 6.25 Open University (ends at 8.55) Jackson Poliock; 6.50 Water Resources; 7.15 Ethnic Dimension; 7.40 Curriculum in Action; 8.05 Punjab to Britain; 8.30 Football: constructing the

8.55 Westwood Ho Hum: old, black-and-white, Edgar Kernedy cornedy; 9.15 The Get Set Picture Show more

on the photograph competition, thins; certoons. 10.15 Grandstand. The line-up is: -10.25 Cricket: Kent v Somerset in the Nat West Bank Trophy Finel from Lord's; 12.45 News; 12.50 Football Focus; 1.15 Rallying: from Finland, the Relly of the 1,000 Lakes, 1.30 Cricket: back to Lord's 2.05 the 2.15 from Flaydock Park; 2.25 Cricket/Athlescs. More overs from Lord's; and highlights from this week's invitation events in Kolenz and Rome; 3.05 the 3.15 from Haydook

Paric, 3.25 Cricket. 3.45 Racing from Haydock Paric the Vernon's Sprint Cup (run at 3.45): 3.50 Half time; 3.55 Cricket: Back to Lord's. 4.35. Final scores. 5.10 The Dukes of Hazzard: Boss

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Hogg foolishly assumes that, with the departure of the Duke brothers, the way is now clear for him to pull off a spectacular COUD. 6.00 News: with Jan Learning: 6.10 Scorts round-up.

6.15 The Noel Edmonds Late Breakfast Show: Family entertainment, broadcast five. Special guests: the Bap Gees. 7.00 Bienkety Blank: The return of the word game which puts nobody's brains under any kind of strain, whether th of its presenter Terry Wogen or those of tonghi's panel of celebrities, Windsor Davies, Sandra Dickinson, Kenny Everett, Larry Grayson, Beryl Reid and Anneka Ric

7.35 Juliet Bravo: Return of the Police crama series that used to feature Jean Darblay. The new police inspector is played by Anna Carteret. Otherw little has changed at Hartley Section. Tonight's episode has Inspector Kate Longton reporting for duty. 8.25 Three of a Kind: Music and

comedy show, with Lenny Henry, Tracey Lilman, David Copperfield and, as special quest, Bonnie Tyler. 8.55 News: with Jan Learning. And

\$55 News: wou ozur parties sports round on. \$.10 Remington Steels: First in a new series of detective comedy dramas with Stephanie Zimbalist as a female private-eye. In the title role of the gentieman crook is the Irish actor Pierce Brosner 10.00 Match of the Day: Highlights from two of today's first and

second division games. 10.50 The Late Film Return of bata (1971) Italian cowboy yam starring one of the twin. its (the other was Clint d) of the so-call spagnetti western - Lee Van-Cleef. The period is the American Civil War. Van Cleef \* the circus acrobat who over an outstanding debt.

Radio 4.

6.25 Shipping Forecast. 6.30 News:Farming Today6.50 in Perspective, religious affairs 6.55 Weather: Travel: Programme News.

7.45 in Perspective. 7.50 it's a Bargain 7.55 Weather;

Travet Programme News.

8.00 News 8.10 Today's Papers.

8.15 Sport on 4, Includes Gerald Walarn's report from Flushing Meadow on the US Open Tenals

championships; and a scen setter for today's Nat-West Trophy final at Lord's...

8.48 Breakaway, holiday information, including 8.57 Weather; Travel 8.00 News.
9.50 News Stand. Review of weekly

magazines. 10.05 Talking Politics. (Neil Kinnock

From our own Correspondent.

News: A Small Country Living.

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John Rae, and Colin Welland, 112,55 Weather, Travel.

1.00 News. 1.19 Tales from the South China

1.19 Tales from the South China Seas (s) Last of six programmes on the sives of the British in South East Asia in the days of the Empire. Today, the story of a rubber plenter's four daughters in Mesaya. 1.55 Shoping.
2.00 News. Thirty-Minute Theatre Stuck by David Norris. Honeymooning couple in a traffic jam. With John Webb and Eileen Tuity.?

2.35 Medicine Now. Report on the health of medical care.
3.05 Widdig. Listeners' questions

3.06 Wildlife Listeners questions

answered.
3.30 Letters from a Cowboy. A viewof the American West as
recorded in letters by Hugh
Cooke (a cowboy in Wyoming
and Colorado in the 1880s).

4.00 News: International Asignment

BBC correspondents on a 4.36 Does he take Sugar? Magazine for disabled listeners.
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Shipping 5.55 Weather: Travel.

interview). 10.30 Daily Service.† 10.45 Pick of the Wee

12.35 Weather forcast.

7.10 Today's Papers. 7.15 On your Farm.

7.00

Muppets (r); 10.30 The Saturday Show; all in show for youngsters, with competitions, star guests, sport, games and quizzes. With Isla St Clair, and Tommy Boyd. 12.15 World of Sport. The line-up is:

12-20 Cycling (Women's Road Race, from Alternhein; Switzerland, with Britain's Mandy Jones); 12-25 News; 12-50 On the Balt footbalf preview; 1.20 The FTV Four: the 1.30 at Kempton; 1.40 Cycling (World Championships track finals from Zurich); 1.55 The 2.00 at Kempton.

2.10 Bording: Flyweight fight between Keith, Wellace (GB) and Juan Diaz (Mexico), in London; 2.25 The 2.35 (September Stakes) at Kempton: 2.45 Golf: Third round of the Panasonic European Open, at Sunningdale; 3.00 The 3.06 at Kempton; 2.15 Golf: more from Suraingdale; 3.45 Half-time football scores; 4.00 Golf: Back to the Panasonic Open; 4.45 Recuits. 5.05 News from ITN.

5.15 Chips: A sea chase off wet-bites involving a gang carrying out a computer fraud. 6.15 David Prost Presents the Gninness Book of Records: Death-delying feats in the South Pacific, including a 2,500ft on to the pillion of a speeding motorcycle, and the strong man who tries to prevent two aircraft taking off in opposite directions (r), 7, 15 The Wind of War prev

(cont). 7.20 First Close From Third Kind (Special Edition) (1978); The extra footage brings light to former dark areas in Stephen Spielberg's superior science-fiction antasy with an astounding. Climax. Starting Richard Dreyfuse, 1.45 News. And

10.00 Tales of the Unexp Turn of the Tide. Richard sehart as the lawyer who plans a perfect crime-and,wha

10.30 The Who-Final Concert: The night that popymusic history was made at Toronto's Maple Leaf Gardens.

11.45 Sweet Dynama: How the hot you developed from a kind of yoke on wheels to something year different. Entitlement have Night Thoughts: with the Rev.

#2.30 Seturday-Night Theatre The Yokurther' by Ind Moore, With Christien Rodeke, Kathlees Helindand Baray Rutter, \$58

10.00 News.
10.15 Behind the Screen. A look at whether mass scenning for diseases such ascencer saves.

Syndrome'.

11.38 Scenes from Village Life, Postry and song: From Wales.

12.00 News: Weather:

and song: From 12.00 News: Weather: 12.00 News: Weather: 12.15 Shipping Forecasts: ENGLAND 8.25-6.30cm Weather: Travel.

Radio 3

4.05 Aubade Inciding works by Copland (Darzon cubeno), Deltus (Walk to Paradise Garden), Biblist (Jean d'Infants) Milhaud and Chaminada.)

9.00 News. 9.05 Record Review-Includes Tohaltovalty's Francisca da Rinini. The presenter is Paul Vaughan.

10.15 Stareo Release: Excludes works

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11.15 BBC Welsh SC: Stravinsky (Jeu de cartes), Britism (Violin Concerto, Op 15, with Wands Wilsoninsky (Symphony Iz C).)
1.00 News.

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1.05 Brain's Lieder: the Mae Songs, Op 63, and Five Songs, Op 106. Prailip Langridge (tenor), and John Constable (pigno).†
2.00 Sir Adrian Bout: He conducts was the ball of the March to Head the March to March

2.00 Sir Adrian Boutt: He conducts works by Hadiny, Ysugham Williams (The House Securiful and Symphony No 5). Eiger. Domains (Variations on nurseryson), Barlot (Music for strings, percussion and celeste). Characterist (Maria for Sthellus, S.00. Jazz, Record Fisquests: with, Paier Clayton.

5.45 Ortics' Farum in Edinburgh: with Owen Budley Edwards, Derek Majonin, Alam Massie and Marina Yeazay. In the chair. Philip Franch.

ives. 11.00 Soundings: Religious documentary. Down's

7.55 Weather, 8.00 News.

2.00

and Engelie Eraser. Richard Balker will music on record.



Women against the Chattooga River rapids: Miles to Go (Channel 4.7.30pm)

#### BBC 2

6.25 Open University (until 3.10) Begins with Engineering: non-linearities. Ends with Modern Art: abstract expressionism (starts at 2.45).

3.10 Film: Sing as We Go (1934') Cheerful Lancashire musical with Gracle Fields as the obless milt girl who sets off for Blackpool to find work. With John Loder, Stanley Holloway. Director: Basil Dean. 4.25 Cricket: Live coverage of the Kent v Somerset metch – the Natiwest Bank Trophy Final, at

Lord's Commentary by Richie Benaud, Jim Laker, Tom Graveney and Bob Wills. 7.25 Gardeners Royal: Two centuries ago, "Capability" Brown, surveyor to George til's gardens and waters at Hampton Court died. Ashley Stephenson, Balliff of the Royal Parks, discusses Brown, one of the best-known names in British gardening history; 7.55 News and sports.

8.10 Top Crown: The final of the bowls tournament. The challengers, Ken Strutt and Devid Blackburn, meet the holders, Robert Hitchen and Alian Thompson, From Blackpool.

9.00 Gey Rip-Off: Judge Richard Fickey is in court in Mismi again, this time to hear the se of homosexual Bruce Rowe whose kerb-crawling ended in the kind of drama he. could not possibly have predicted. Horror Triple Bill: 1. The Black

Cet (1934") Lugosi/Kerloff thriller with absolutely no is a story of devil worship, and of a doctor's mission of revenge. Directed without much style by Edgar Ulmer. Cricket: Highlights of today's match at Lord's between Kent and Somerset - the NatWest Bank Trophy Final: 11,25

11.30 Horror Triple Bill: 2, Murder in the Rue Morgue (1932\*) Distantly based on a Poe story, this thriller stars Lugosi as a crazy scientist who experiments with the blood of ape and a girl. Director: Rober

Horror Triple Bill: 3: The Raven (1935") Lugost, as a brain surgeon, does nomble things to Karloff's face. Again, no connection with Poe, Louis Friedlander. Ends at

TONIGHT'S PROM

736 Mozart: Symphony No 35 (Haffner). 9:10 Breckner: Symphony No 9. Amsterdam Concerngebouw

Ansaeroam Concargeboow
Orchestre, conducted by
Bernard Hattink.
11.00 Music from India (until
6.45em). With Ram Nareyam
(sareng) and BrijNarayam
(sareng) and accompanying
musicians on table and

(sarod) and accompanying musicians on table and tanjurar; Hariorasad Chaurasia (flute) and accompanying masicians; and Zia Faridud-

din Dager and Ritwik Senyal (dinupad singers) and so-companying musicians on paidrawal and tempura. All concerts on Radio 3, in

6.45 Gillian Weit: organ recital. Works thy Couperin (Messe pour lee couverts) and Bach.†
7.30 Proms St. from Royal Albert Half. (see panel).†
7.50 A Citiest Look: two Dylan Themas reserves analysed by

Thomas poems analysed by Vemor Scannell.

8.10 Promis 82: part two (see panel).†
9.25 Success of Fallure: Robert Land
reads T H White's story.
9.40 Indian Solo Songs from the Early
Baroque: with Max Van Egmond
(barlions) and Jacques Boogaart
(bush.).\*

Certions) and Jacques Boogaart (trip).1:

10.15 Void Schaiter Gerth Knox plays Hindernith's Schaite Op 11, No4 and Herze's Schaite Op 11, No4 and Herze's Schaite.

11.00 Prome 83: All-night cancert of Indian music (see panel), Ends at 6.45pm. Medium wave as above except 10.25ars-7.30pm Gridet (Kest v Somerse) and Lis News VHF only — Open University: 8.55em. James Bond: Occupations and Ideology 7.15 (Music interlucts) 7.25-7.35 Maths Foundation Tetorial.

Radio 2

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News Headines, 3.36, 6.30, 7.30em; Summaria, or filebour. 1.00pm and then from 6.00pm, (except 8.00pm, mr/mer). 5.00em Shella Tracy. 7.30 bavid Jacobić filebuding 8.02 Racing Bulletta. 8.30 Sound of the 60m. 140.30 Album Timed; 11.30 The Keriny Everett etrow. 1.00pm Punch Line with Kenneth Config. Rob Monthouse. June Whitfield; 1.30 Sport on 2. Cricket (Ken't v SomeSilo, Football including second-half collementary from 3.55 Racing: From Haydock Park 2.45, 3.15, 3.45 Golf: European Open at Sumningdate 5.10 Sport Report, Plus

#### CHANNEL 4

2.45 Film: The Golden Age of Buster Keaton (1975") The Great Stone Face in clips from films like The General, The Navigator, Stramboat Bill Jnr., Scarecrow. The Electric

House, and Cops. 4.35 Well Being: Over-the-counte medicine can be a terrible waste of money, especially (as Pam Armstrong and family doctor Simon Small point out this afternoon) as many of our allments can be cured by items already in our pantries. 5.05 Prooleside: two repeated

episodes, (r). 6.00 Video, Video: First in a new series which reflects the video revolution now seriously damaging the cinema and reducing viewing audiences for many successful television shows. Presented by Adam Faith, whose guest today is that showbusiness man of many parts. Ned Sherrin.

6.30 News headlings. And weather prospects. Followed by:-A Working Faith. New rents in music plave in church. With the choir of Paisley Abbey and Dr Lionel Dekers, of the Royal College of Church Music

7.00 Take the Stage: Acting improvization contest. Dennis Vaterman, Rula Lenska and Don Henderson take on a team from the: Theatre Royal Stratford East (Brian Murphy, Christine Pilgrim, Muzray felvin). 7.30 Miles to Go: Eight women

climbers spend two weeks in the high peaks of the Smoky Mountains and along the Chattooga river in Georgia. arning more about elves as about climbing, 9.00 The Charterhouse of Parma:

Episode 4 of this adaptation of the Standahl novel. Imprisoned Fabrizio (Andrea Occhipinti) falls in love with his jallor's daughter. 10.10 Caleb Williams: in vain, the

shocked Caleb (Mick Ford) flees from the Falkland mansion. He is captured, and accused of stealing the silver. 11.10 Film: Ace in the Hole (1951") Meaty indictment of gutter press tactics, with Kirk Dougles at his best as the unscrupulous reporter who, to keep a big story alive, keeps a

Radio 1

News on the heit-hour until 12.30pm, 2.30, 3.30, 7.30, 8.30, 10.00 and 12.00 (mf/mw). 8.00em Wake up to the weekend with Adrian John. 8.00 Tony Blackburn's Saturday Show. 70.00 Gary Davies. 1.00 Rock Lists Show (s) Steve Wright with a new series of pop's musical encyclopeekia. 2.00 A King in New York: 2.06 Paul Gambecchi. I 4.00 The Rock Palast open air festival (s) U2, Steve Miller, Joe Cocker, The Stray Cata and Dave Edmunds are in concert at the Rock Palast Open Air Feetival, Germany. 7.30 Jardes Long. 10.00-12.00 Gary Davies. VHI RADIOS 1 and 2 5.00em With Radio 2. 1.00 With Radio 1. 7.30-5.00em With Radio 2.

**WORLD SERVICE** 

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6.00am Novacdesic. 6.30 Album Time. 7.00
World News. 7.80 News About British. 7.15
From the Weekline. 7.20 Classical Record
Review. 7.65 Network UK. 8.00 World News.
8.00 Reflections. 8.15 Firstnatic Fickiers. 8.30
Brain of British 1983. 9.00 World News. 9.80
Review of British Press. 9.15 The World Today.
8.30 Financial News. 9.40 Lock Ahead. 9.45
Kipling's India. 18.15 Whet's News. 11.00 World
News. 11.00 Howst About British. 11.15 About
British. 11.30 The Balth Luctures. 12pm Radio
Newsreal. 12.15 Anything Gross. 12.45 Sports
Roundly. 1.00 World News. 1.90 Commentary.
1.15 Network UK. 1.30 The Hit Machine. 2.00
Salurday Special. 3.00 World News. 9.00
Commentary. 4.15 Saturday Special. 8.00
World News. 8.00 Commentary. 8.15 Good
Scotts. 9.15 Kings of Jazz. 9.30 Kingling's India.
10.00 World News. 18.00 From Our Own
Correspondent. 19.30 New Ideas. 19.40
Reflections. 18.45 Sports. Rounday. 11.00
World News. 11.09 Commentary. 11.15
Letterbox. 11.30 The Path Lectures. 12.40
World News. 11.00 Commentary. 11.00
World News. 12.00 Pring of the Week. 1.20
World News. 12.00 Pring British Press. 2.00
Review of British Press. 2.15 Short Story. 2.20
Sports Review. 3.30 My Murel. 4.45 Fram. Our Own
Correspondent. 8.30 My Murel. 4.45 Fram. O

(with tenor Anthony Rolfe ohrison) and Mendelssohn's "Italian" Symphony. 11.05 Sergeant Bilko: Phil Silvers as man entombed in a New Mexico cave. Also starring Jan the immortal sergeant" (r). The Sky at Night: The seco Sterling and Ray Teal. Directed, and co-written, by of Vega, the brilliant blue star. With Patrick Moore. Billy Wilder. Ends at 1.10am. 1.50 Weather forecast. U.S. Open Tennis and preview of Motor Cycling Grand Pitk at Imola 6.00 Country Greats in Concert 7.00 Three. In a Row. Touring general knowledge quiz. 7.20 Cricket Desk. 7.30 Big Band Special, 8.00 Ring up the Curtain. Tl.ionel Friend conducts the BBC Concert Orchestra, including 8.40-9.00 Interval. 10.00 Saturday (Redezvous. 1889; Eckstine, Sarah Yaughan and the Stan Reynolds Big Band. 11.02 Sports Desk. 11.10 Pete Murray's Late Show! 2.00-5.00am Ball Rennells presents You and the Night and the Music.

7.30 Rub-a-Dub-Tub: stories, blind

fish, drawing lessons, music etc for the younger viewer. at 8.35; Sunday Papers at 8.40: Behind the News, at

9.25 LWT latermation: what's on in the area; 9.30 Play Better Squash: the serve, and the ratum of serve. With Hiddy Jahan and John Easter; 10.00 Morning Worship: from the Church of St Paul, Langleybury, Hertfordshire; 11.00 Linic Interview with Jessica Rees, the first totally deaf Oxford undergraduate; 11.30 Star Fleet: space fun, Episode 24.

Breadline Britain: An investigation into why the welfare state is failing, and why there is no break in the lied circle of deorlystics Third film in a four-part series, 1.00 The Smurfa: carroon. 1.15 The Big Metch: Highlights

London news hea Followed by:- Living Proof: The alfresco life of tinker Jock Fraser who has not had a roof over his head for 30 years (r); 2.30 Survivat: Water Under the Earth: Plant and animal life round a northern Florida warn

3.00 Golf: Final holes in the Panasonic European Open Championship, from Sugningdale - with £140,000

88 question-master.

6.00 Survival of the Fittest: Eight tough men in a muscle-andmind contest in Snowdonla National Park. First film in a new series from HTV; 6.30

6.40 Mary O'Hare and Friends: asant music for Sunday, choral and instrumental. 7.15 Film: The Final Countdown

a storm that blows a nuclear Kirk Douglas, Martin Sheen. 9.15 Now and Then: Final episode

11.40 Trapper John. Followed by Night Thoughts...

#### Tv-am

8.30 Good Morning Britain (contd).

#### ITV/LONDON

5.00 Sale of the Century: general knowledge quiz, with big prizes and Nicholas Parsons

5.30 Secrets of the Coast: Su Ingle reports on flowers and wildlife on the Scilly Isles and on Lundy and Steep Holme.

In this nostalgic comedy series. The psychic powers of Aunt Sadie (June Brown); 9.45

10.00 All for Love: Down at the on the relationship between a a married Woman (Jean Simmons). Hugh Whitmore has adapted the William Sanson story. 11.00 London news. Followed by: The Flying

Anthony Smith motorcycles from Cairo to Capetown. 9.00 News; Wives and Daughters by Elizabeth Gaskel, dramatized in nine parts (3),19.58 Weather.

10.15 With Great Pleasure. Alan

10.45 Prom Talic Includes interviews. with Simon Rattle and Arnold Whittall. William

11.20 Orchestras of Britain: The
English Concert, with Patrizie
Kwells (sop) and Trevor Phanock
(narpsichord) perform Avison's
Concerto Grosso, No 9 and

Handel's motet Sliete ventil. Part one.†
12.00 Rural Phymes: Robin Holmes reads his own selection.
12.05 Concert part two. Works by Arne (incl his harpsichord conc No 5 in G) and Handel's

Concerto Grosso in 5 fist, Op 8, No 2).†
12.50 English Chember Orchestra Wind Ensemble: Janacek's
Wind Ensemble: Janacek's
Miadi, and Mozart's Culntet in E
flat, K 452. Part one.†
1.35 Jenselem Disry: talk by Craig S
Karpel, an American writer living
in the city (tirst of six).

7.25 Good Morning Britain: with David Frost, Off to an appropriate start with Thought for a Sunday.

lews at 8.30 and 9.22; Sport

from two of yesterday football fixtures.

(1980) Fantastic drama about powered aircraft carrrier back in time to the day before the attack on Pearl Harbour. With

Hydro. Romantic drama, set in a country health farm, focusing widower (lan Carmichael) and

**Pickets** 

10.15 With Great Pleasure. Alan Bleasdale presents a personal choice of poetry and prose. Readers: Julie Watters and Michael Angells.†

11.00 Before the Ending of the Day.†

11.15 Men-made Plants. Man-made plants as a source of food.

12.00 Naws; Weather.

12.15 Shipping Forecast. ENGLAND Vi-If with above except: 8.55-7.55em Open University: 8.55 Modern Art. Marxism and Art. 7.15 Music Interfude. 7.35 AD 2025: A New Xanadu. 4.00-6.00 Study on 4.

#### Radio 3

7.55 Weather, 8.00 News. 8.05 Jaques Thibaud: Records featuring the French violinist. Includes works by Krelsier, Beethoven (Sonata in A, Op 47) and Schubert (Sonatina in G

minor). News.
Your Concert Choice: works
include Bach's Magnificat in D,
Egar's Vloën Sonata in E minor
(Hugh Bean/Devid Parkhouse).
Lyapunov (Plano conc No 2, with
Alexander Baechiev) and a
Handel organ work.†

#### Melodies for Yout 11.00 Desmond

6.30 Battlestar Galactica, 11.45 Jet Set Jester, 12.15 am Closedown.

GRANADA As london except:

Ghess Masterpieces, 9.30-10.00 Music of Man. 11.00 Play Better Squash. 11.25
Azo Kaa Hake. 11.30-12.00 This is your Right, 1.00pm-12.00 Voyage to the Bottom of the Sea, 2.30 The Big Match, 3.15-5.00 Golf, 5.30-8.30 Love Boat,

1.45 Concert: part two, Dvorak (Serenade in D minor);† 2.15 The Conflegration: Haydin's singspiel in two acts, with the BBC Concert Orch and Schutz

BBC Concert Orch and Schutz
Choir of London, Interval
reading at 2.55. Act 2 at 3.00.†
3.50 Hungarian Music: works by
Kodaly and Bartok (Including the
Szekaly arrangement of
Rumanian Folk Dances), Mildos
Szenthely (Iviolin), Mildos
Perenyi (cello), Istvan Lantois
(piano).†
4.30 Aspects of China: Fr Lazio La
Dany reflects on the political

Dany reflects on the political tandscape of this country.
5.15 Mozart: Recordings from the Ascona Festival 1982. Includes the Horn Concerto No 4 to Effet K 495, with Barry Tuckwell; and Sextet in F major; En musikalischer Spass.†

Sector in Pringly; Est musikalischer Spass,†

8.15 They Are Dying Dut: Play by the Austrian dramatist Peter Handle. A political satire, about a weathly businessman (Form Wilkinson) who decides to smash his rivisis by breaking thier copy rights arrowments. thier cosy pricing arrangements.
Co-stanting Robert Stephens,
Bill Nighty and Karry Francis,
a.00 Edinburgh International Fastival
1963: The Scottish National

Orchestra in a performance of the Schoenberg cantata Gurrelleder, with the Festival Chorus, Soloiate are Marityn Zechau, Ann Murray, Jon Prederic West, Philip Langridge, Mikolaus Hillebrand and Hans Mother Marian County Hottler (the speaker). Part one.?

9.00 Corred in his Letters: Lewrence
Lemer, Professor of English at
Sussex University, on the first
volume of the letters published

volume of the letters published this week.

9.20 Concert: Gurrelleder. Part two.†

10.30 The Hurt: David March reads pert one of a five-part adaptation of Zola's novel.

10.55 Zelenka: a performance of the Trifo-Sonate No 5 in F.†

11.15 Maue. Heal 11.12

11.15 News, Until 11.18. VHF ONLY - OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.55am-7.56. Radio 2

News Headlines: 6.30am Summaries on the hour (except 8.00p) (mf/mw). 5.00am Sheila Tracy 7.30 Paul McSoell with Good Morning Sunday with Bishop Bill Westwood. 1 8.00 David Jacobs with

#### CHANNEL 4

2.30 Birds of Britain: The soundand-vision ways in which our feathered friends keep in touch with each other. Narrated by keen birdwatcher and comedian Bill Oddie. 3.09 Hurling – the AF-Ireland Final: And it is Kilkerny versus Cork, with commentator Michael

5.00 News headlines. Weather. Followed by: The Bottom Line: These are not good times for the chain stores, and Jeremy James reports on some of the big High Street names that are either in trouble or might soon

5.35 Pace the Prese: Journalists
Peter Keliner, political editor of
New Statesman, and Alan
Watkins, political solumnist of The Observer, put questions to Neil Kinnock MP, the

leading contender in the contest for the leadership of the Labour Party. In the chair: Anthony Howari Football Preview: Miles Aiken is our man for the former, and he and Nicky Horne then look

shead to a new season of US football which returns to Channel 4 next Sunday. 7.15 Song by Song by British

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the vivid scene setter. 8.15 Babble: Panel game played by

Rushton and Andrew Sach. 8.45 A Fine Romance: A painful experience for Laura (Judi Dench); a visit to the dentist.

9.20 One Summer: Final episode of this two-Liverpool-lads-in-Wales drama series. Tonight: the parting of the ways for Billy and icky (Dave Morrissey and

Spencer Leigh). Film: The Cat and the Canary (1939"). Comedy thriller with Bob Hope and Paulette Goddard in a gloomy mansion where an eccentric

read. Genuinely creepy at Co-starting Gale Sondergaard and George Zucco. Director: Eliott Nugent. Ends at 11.40.

Carrington Radio 2 All-Time Greats.†
12.90 Jimmy Young with Two's Best.†
1.30 Lisher to Les.† 2.00 Benny Green.†
3.00 Alan Dell with Sounds Easy.† 4.00
Sing Something Simpl.† 4.30 String
sound.† 5.00 Comedy Classics: "Does
the Team Think? 5.30 Sports Dest.
5.35 Charlie Chester with Your Sunday
Soapbox. 6.30 Robert White Sings.
7.00 Sunday Sport. 7.30 Glamorous
Nigitis. B.30 Sunday Hall-Hour from the
Church of St Michael and All Angels,
Barnes, London. 9.00 Your Hundred
Best Tunes. 10.00 Sounds of The
Midlands. 11.92 Sports Desk. 11.05
Pete Murray's Late Show (stereo from Pete Murray's Late Show (stereo from midnight). 2.00-5.00 Bill Rennells

#### Radio 1

News on the half-hour until 12.30pm, 2.30, 3.30, 5,00, 7.00; 10,00 and 12.00 (mi/mw). 6.00em Pat Sharp. 8.00 Tony Stackburn's Sunday Show. 10.00 The Lenny Henry Sunday Hooff 12.00 Jimmy Saville's 'Old Record' Clais. 2.00 Cavid Jensen with Music Now. 4.00 My Top 12. Paul Young. 5.00 Top 40 with Tommy Vance. 17.00 Anne Mobilings is 9.00 Aleyis Kornart Nightingale.† 9.00 Alexis Korner.† 10.00-12.09 Sounds of Jazz.†

WORLD SERVICE

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2.00am Newsdeek. 6.30 Courserpoint. 7,00 World Naws. 7,29 News About Britain. 7,15 From Our Own Corresponder. 7,39 Serah and Company. 6.00 World News. 2,50 Reflections. 8.15 The Pleasure's Yours. 8,00 World News. 8.20 Reflections. 8.15 Science in Action. 8.45 Sports Review. 10.15 Classical Record Review. 11,100 World News. 11,50 Review. 11,50 Commerciary. 11,50 World News. 10,50 Science in Action. 10,60 Reflections. 10,50 Science in Action. 11,50 World News. 11,50 Commerciary. 11

#### REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS

CENTRAL As London except: 9.25 am Professor Kitzel.
9.30-10.00 Paint Along With Nancy.
11.30-12.00 Play Better Squash: 1.00 pm Family Affair. 1.30-2.00 Benson.
2.30-5.00 Big Match. 3.15 Golf. 5.30-6.30 Bensestar Galactice. 11.45 Jet Set

YORKSHIRE As Londorf except: 9.25em-10.00 Link.
11.00 Play Better Squash 11.30-12.00 Farming Diary. 2.30-3.00 Secrets of the Coast 5.30-6.30 Chips. 11.45 Five Minutes. 11.50 Wild Canada. 12.45em

ANGLIA As London except: Starts 9.30am-10.00 Paint Along with Nancy. 11.20-12.00 Play Better Squash. 1.00pm Groovie Ghouties. 1.25 Weather. 1.30-2.00 Farming Diary. 2.30 Big Match. 3.15 Golf. 5.00-5.30 Laurel and Hardy. 5.40 Sale of the Century. 6.00 Secrets of Crast. 11.00 Secsion. 6.00 Secrets of Coast, 11.00 Sea 12.00 Ladies Man, 12.30am You Know the Old Saying, Closedown.

TYNE TEES As London except
Starts 9.30am-10.00 Link. 11.00 Looksround. 11.05 Lost Eric. 11.00 Lookardurd. 11.05 Lost Krigdoms. 11.30-12.00 Play Better Squash. 1.30pm Golfing Greats. 1.30-2.00 Farming Cuticok. 2.00 Living Proof. 2.30 Big Match. 3.15 Golf. 5.00 Laurel and Hardy. 5.30-5.30 Little House on the Prairie. 11.60 Astronauts. 11.30 New Avengers. 12.30em Estotale and Skinningrove Male Voice Choir, Closedown,

HTV As London except: 9.20 am-10.00 Finistones. 11.20-12.00 Play Better Squash. 1.00 pm Metal Mickey. 1.39-2.00 Farming Wales. 2.30 Big Match. 3.15-5.00 Golf. 5.00-6.30 Survival of the Fittest. 11.00 The Tube. 12.00 Astronauts. 12.30 em Closdown.

HTV WALES AS HTV West except: 3.15 per-5.00 Showjumping. 11.00-12.00 Golf.

GRAMPIAN As London except:
Starts 10.00am it's a
Vet's Life. 10.30-11.00 Sign Hear. 11.3012.00 Play Better Squash. 1.00pm Living
Proof. 1.30 Farming Outlook. 2.00-3.00
Scotsport Marathon Special. 5.30
Pruitts of Southempton. 5.55-6.30
National School Choir Competition.
11-00 Reflections. 11.05 Levikas Man.
12.00 Glosadown. 12.00 Closedown.

BORDER As London except: 9.25am Border Diary. 9.25em Border Diary.
9.30-16.00 Janet and Mysia, 11.3012.00 Play Better Squash, 1.00pm Our Incredible World, 1.25 Faming Outook, 1.55-2.00 Border Diary, 2.30 The Big Match, 3.15 Golf, 5.00-5.30 One of the Boys, 6.00-6.30 Sale of the Century, 11.00 Presenting Price, 12.00 Chesedown. Closedown.

SCOTTISH As London except: 9.25
am Popeys. 9.35
Stingray. 10.00-11.00 Sesame Street.
11.30-12.00 Play Better Squesh. 1.00
pm Profile. 1.30 Farming Outlock: 2.003.00 Scotsport Marathon Special. 5.00
One of the Boys. 5.30 Sale of the
Century. 8.00-6.30 Survival. 11.00 Late
Catt. 11.05 Festival Focus. 12.05 am
Clotedown.

ULSTER As London except: Starts
11.00 am Link, 11.30-12.00
Play Better Squash, 1.00 pm Leurel and
Hardy 1.30-2.00 fr s A Vet Life, 2.30 Big
Match, 3.15-5.00 Golf, 5.00-6.30 Happy
Place, 94 45 Roych, Results, 11.50 Days, 11.45 Sports Results, 11.50

## FREQUENCIES: Radio 1: 1053kHz/285m; 1089kHz/275m; Radio 2: 693kHz/433m; 909kHz/330m; Radio 3: 1215kHz/247m: VHF -90-92.5; Radio 4: 200kHz 1500m; VHF -92-95; LBC 1152kHz/261m; VHF 97.3; Capital: 1648kHz/194m; VHF 95.8; BBC Radio London 1458kHz/205m; VHF 94.9; World Service MF 648kHz/463m SAC Starts 2.50pm Ulater Lindscapes, 3,15 Menscape. 3.45 in Search of Paradise, 4.10 Making The Most Of, 4.48 Switch, 5.35 Film Gassight (Antion Walbrook), 7.00 Arbertsetheu Ser Wynif A Phynesen, 7.30 Newyddion, 7.40 Mae'r Gelyn Oddf Mewn, 8.40 Campau'r 58r, 9.35 Nakad City, 10.30 Occotors, 11.25 Charterhouse of Parma, 12.25ean, juzz on Four, 1.10 of Parma, 12.25em Jazz on Four, 1.10 BERGOWAL ...

TSW As London except Starts
9.30 me Freeze Frame, 16.30
Metal Mickey, 11.90 Little House on the
Prairie, 11.85-12.15 pp. The Projets of
Southempton, 3.15 Newsport, 5.20
Maiding of Raideze of the Lost Art. 6.157.15 Fall Guy, 11.45 Great Fights of the
The 12.45 pp. 11.45 Great Fights of the
Constitute of the Control of 70s. 12.40

CENTRAL As London except.
9.24em Professor
Kizzel, 4.30 Profess in Rock. 10.05-10.30
Vicky the Viking, 11.45pm That's
Holywood, 12.15em Closedown.

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ANGLIA As Loundon scenet: Start 70.05-10.38 Metal Hilbert, 11.48pm (introdd Mr Twigg, 12.30am At the End of the Day, Closedown.

GRANIPIAN - As London except: Starty 9.36em Smarth, 10.30 Metal Mickey, 11.48pm Doug-termings Magic op Broadway, 12.40em Reflections, 12.46 Closedow TYNE TEES Afforder shoot:

3.35mm Storring
Glory 9.30-Link Polyger, 10:00 T Time
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ransmissions only. There is back-and-forth live coverage during the afternoon). The speedway event is the World Individual Final, from Norden, O'Hehir trying hard to keep his in West Germany. Former world champion Peter Collins joins Alan Weeks in the commentary box. For cricket, there is live coverage of a John Player League match (two weeks left in the chase for the £13,000 first prize). For motorcycling enthusiasts, there is the San Marino 500cc News Review: edited highlights, with sub-titles and Jan Leeming. Diamonds in the Sky: Julian Pettifer brings his air travel film series to an end with a peep

lan Carmichael and Jean Simmons who co-star in Down at the Hydro (TV, 10.00pm)

nd: Three

6.15 Basketball and American Jan Leeming.
8.10 Kings of Infinite Space: Frank.
Lloyd Wright and Michael
Graves. American

Lyricists: Hits by Novello, Bart, Rice, Hassall, Herbert, Maschwitz, et al, performed by Bertice Reading, Georgia Brown, Polly James and David Kernen, with Ned Sherrin as

Lynda Bellingham, Angela Douglas, Richard O'Sullivan, Hugh Paddick, William

Co-starting Michael Williams as her lover (r),

Carrington Radio 2 All-Time Greats.†

## Bringing the village shop in from the cold

### Lifeline is launched to turn tide of closures

By Derek Harris

A rescue service for the village by the Development Commission through its Council for Small Industries in Rural Areas

Advisery and limited financal aid is offered and research is being done to try to prevent the closure of village shops. About half of the stores in one-

shop villages are believed likely to close within five years unless there is some intervention. In the south-west, the border counties and the north-east about 750 shops are thought to be under immediate threat.

This is on top of widespread closures in recent years: Leicestershire in seven years has seen 100 shops go out of business and in Suffolk in 17 years 137 stores and 43 sub-post offices have closed their doors. In Cornwall and Devon 90 village shops have

closed in the past eight years.

The Development Commiss is a permanent Royal Commission concerned with the welfare of rural areas. The Department of the Environment will pay half of the bill for the research into shops.

Initial results from training ourses for shopkeepers launched by the Development Board for Rural Wales, half funded by grants from the European Social and, are said to be promising.

There have been a number of promotional campaigns for the village shop, including one in north Shropshire. Northumber-land County Council has been ing a grant scheme for small es enabling shopkeepers to buy equipment such as freezers and cash registers.

Mr John White is Cosira's retail officer. He already has three retail consultants working with him. All, including Mr White, have first-hand experience of running small sheps.

He belives that too many people with no previous retailing experience are buying village through harsh experience that



Back in business: Derrick and Margaret Perkins at their thriving shop in Devon. (Photograph: Nick Rogers).

running them is not the idyllic experience they had imagined.
Mr White said: "They come in with dreams in their beads and officient capital behind them with no awareness of the practical implications, like the low profit margins, the very long hours, the need for strict administrative dissipline to cope with things like VAT and controlling a relatively wide

While big supermarket chains can secure large discounts from suppliers the small retailer, even if a member of a national wholesaling group like Spar, Mace, or Wavy Line, cannot hope to compete on big value items," Mr White Said.

He added: "There is an embarrassing number of village shopkeepers to be seen buying stock at the hypermarkets in the same oueue as some of their own

In the first week they were open for business they took £352. Although Kingston is a "cul de

sac" village, off the Plymouth-Kingsbridge main road, it is near the sea and has a public house, so an uplift from summer tourist

TYPICAL VILLAGESHOP

Sales turnover Gross profit @ 16% Outgoings: Bank loan/charges\* Transport; loans/petrol etc £2,000 Relief staff £1,000 Heat light phone Rates (commercial) Dilapidations/advertising/ stationery/accountant Sundries/theft/taxation

Net profit £100 Stock investment ideally £6,000 Source: CoSIRA research

But Mr Perkins recalled: "After 12 months we had used up our surplus cash. The overdraft

Office we were falling short by £40 to £50 a month. We knew we were up against it."

> parish council in a "Your village shop: use it or lose it" campaiga. He also called in Cosira: "they ripped as apart - in the nicest

Mr Almond admits that he gave Mr Perkins a harsh report but he wanted to get him back on the attack. Mr Almond knows his small shops; he runs a tobacco-nist, confectionery and newsagent outlet in Truro.

The village used the Perkins's shop over the Christmas period: £2,000 came over the counter in eight days. Mr Almond had turned the Perkins's attention not only to improvements like new shelving displays but lines which customers in more regularly, from newspapers and milk to wines and spirits and

celling of village shopkeepers by consultants familiar through personal experience with small shop problems can solve many difficulties and greatly increase efficiency, according to

One success story in which a Cosira consultant, Mr Roger Almond, has had a hand is that of Mr Derrick Perkins and his wife Margeret who run the village post office and store in Kingston (pop. 250), south

As a long-time salesman for H.J. Heinz, from which he had taken voluntary redundancy, Mr Perkins, now aged 48, thought he knew a lot about the grocery business. We had always holidayed in the West Country so we decided a village shop wor be the ideal way to invest our money", he daid.

With some expenditure nec to get the property in order, including a four-bedroomed house, a mortgage loan was negotiated. Th couple had been told to expect an average weekly

The emphasis is on pers service, cheese is cut on the board, ham is sliced off the bone, there is no pre-pack bacon and goods can be delivered.

turnover of £650 a week

The result has been that last vear turnover reached £38,000, or £730 a week on average, with about £50,000 in prospect for this year, which would be not far short of £1,000 a week. In the first quarter takings, were up nearly 70 per cent over the same

Mr Perkins is planning to bring in more apmarket products like luxury icecream and delicatessen lines. "If you get it right on what people what, the fate of a village shop like ous does not processfully searches." necessarily revolve round the issue of price. "Now I'm watching

## Three drowned at sea as gales rage

By Craig Seton and John Witherow

another was rescued by a Navy-helicopter after their yacht was swamped by mountainous seas whipped up by gale force winds off the Cornish coast yesterday. Two helicopter from Royal Navy Air Force Station Culdrose, Cornwall, and a Nimrod aircraft, from Kinloss in Scotland, flew nearty 190 miles south-west of Land's End to try to find the yacht after a mayday had been sent out. The Adfins Rival was on the return leg of a race from Plymouth to Portugal.

The two men on board were

identified as Mr Graham Adams, the skipper, from East Molesey, Surrey, and Mr Brian Wilmot, from Kingston upon Thames. because of heavy seas.

They abandoned ship and were picked up from their liferaft. It salvaging wreckage from the was not known last night who had

One yachisman died and concert died last month after they tother was rescued by a Navy were swept out to sea. standing on the pier at Doolin, on Clare, and dragged into the Atlantic Ocean. Although a lifeguard threw a rope to the woman, she was unable to bold

waves were more than 40ft high when the yacht started to sink

Coastguards said that winds reached storm force ten. Helicopter services from Pen-zance to the Isles of Scilly were halted and the Scilionia pa vessel, on its way to the islands because of heavy seas.

which foundered two years ago, And off the west coast of were blown from their suchoras Ireland two British tourists in Port Eynon Bay, Gower, and drowned at the same place where swept almost a mile across the eight young men attending a pop bay onto rocks.

## Howe puts forward 5 demands

Continued from page 1

The Government would fully support the efforts of the United States and South Korea in bringing the matter before the Security Council as a matter of urgency, a spokesman said.

There was general agreement last night that East-West relations had been scarred by the incident upon the speed and substance of the Soviet response to demands for an explanation. but how deeply seemed to depend

On ITV Mr Denis Healey, Labour's shadow Foreign Sec-retary, described the incident as a diplomatic disaster, a human tragedy and a political crime", and later called on the Soviet Union to help in the hunt for

Gatwick protest: Ground staff at Gatwick airport refused to carry out duties involving two Soviet Acroflot jets yesterday. A charter flight to Moscow left an hour late after British Caledonian supervisors did the work of loaders engineers and drivers. A similar boycott by drivers alone failed to delay a flight to Leningrad.

## Loss of life admitted by Russians

response to Western shock and outrage, had decided to maintain its initial protestations of innocence and blame the affair on

There was still speculation in Moscow last night over whethe or not President Andropov had known of and approved the Soviet action

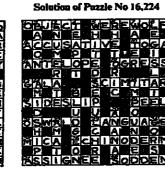
Sources said it was unlikely and said the fighters involved had probably been under the control of the commander of forcesin the Kamchatka-Sakhalin area, with reference either to the far eastern regional command or the military command in Moscow. Kamchatka and Sakhalin both

house big military bases with highly-sensitive naval and air force installations.

Diplomats pointed out that Mr Andropov, who went to the Caucasus on holiday earlier this week, had launched several major arms initiatives in August and would be most unlikely to jeopardize them by authorizing actions leading to the deaths of 269 civilians, including Ameri-

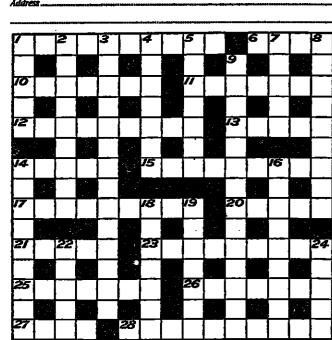
### THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

# Solution of Puzzle No 16,219



The Times Crossword Puzzle No 16,225 1 prize of The Times Atlas of the World (comprehensive edition) will be given for the first three correct solutions opened next Thursday. Entries should be addressed to: The Times, Saturday Crossword Competition, 12 Coley Street, Landon WC99 9YT. The winners and solution will be published next Saturday.

The winners of last Saturday's competition are: Mr G. F. Breach, 24 Bedford Road, Moggerhanger, Bedford ; Mrs J. R. Humphreys, I. Stirtonber, Skipton, N. Yorkshire ; G. F. Jarrett, Lion House, 54 Willow Road Bromsgrove, Worcestershire.



- 1 Do keep bird (10).
- 10 The rises awaited by Micawber? 11 Trying to sink, dispatching shot
- 13 Man's name for river, sacred
- one (5). 15 Brush-off repels Sidney intro-ducing himself to girl (9).
- 17 Deal roughly with chap holding North hand (9).
- side's opener (5). 21 Relaxation allowed at Univer-23 Such an estate makes payment

- 27 Occupant of larger nest (4). 28 Meddle half-heartedly with 22 -

- cause injury (5).
  Blunt confirmation of 15 (9). floor? (7,7).
- 4 Share best parts with daughter in
- Recognized procedure that can be boring (5).
- 8 They must be broken when letting the clutch out (9). Firearm driving Falstaff's friend from lair (8-6).
- 14 Boy gets pass for this special sort of film (4-5). 16 By implication hide the rest of this excellent specimen? (4-5).
- 18 Backs party, in case (7). 19 Get artist a seat for the play (7). 22 Aim of series is to instruct (5). 26 Like rag-and-bone firm? By no, 24 Cheat in friendly alien country
- Collins Dictionaries Times Crossword Championship 1983 The National Final takes place tomorrow, 1.30 - 5.30 p.m. at the Park Lane Hotel. Admission fee £2 a head. A prize concise crossword appears on page 7 of today's Saturday

### Today's events

New exhibitions Paintings by Fred Wilde; Mu-seum and art gallery, Library Street, Blackburn; Mon to Fri 9.30 to 6, Sat 9.30 to 5; (until Oct 1). Joseph Pickford-a considerable architect; Workers' Educational Association. St Helen's House, Kings Street, Derby; Mon to Fri 10 to 9; Sat 10 to 6 (until Sept 24). Pam Skelton: Women in myth-

ology; Museum and Art Gallery, Central Library, Lichfield Street, Walsall; Mon to Fri 10 to 6, Sat 10 to 4.45 (until Oct 1). The golden age of Richard III, City Museum and Art Gallery, Brunswick Road, Gloncester, Mon to Sat 10 to 5 (until Oct 1).

Ceramics by John Hincheliffe and textiles by Wendy Barber; Arts Centre, Bedwin Street, Salisbury; Mon to Sat 10 to 5.30 (until Sept 30); Tues to Sat 10 to 5.30; (until Sept 30). Drawings, paintings, and sculp-ture by Gerald Scarie, Museum and

Art Gallery, John Frost Square, Newport, Gwent; Mon to Thur 10 to 5.30, Fri 10 to 4.30, Sat 9.30 to 4 (until Oct 1). Last chance to see

Inexpedient and dangerous to build: the history of the old town hall and the development of the market square at Lancaster; City Museum, Market Square, Lancas-

Museum, Market Square, Lancaster; 10 to 5 (ends today).

Paintings by Mike Lawson;
Atkinson Art Gallery, Lord Street,
Southport; 10 to I (ends today).

Spode-Copeland 1733-1983, City
Museum, Stoke on Treat; 10.30 to 5
(ends today).

Bricks for the history of

construction since 3000 BC and Pace-setters III: painting, drawing, sculpture, photography, ceramics, and textiles, both at the City Museum and Art Gallery, Priestgate, Peterborough, 10 to 5 (ends

Music Concert by the City of Birminsham Music by Ivory Coast Praise Singers, The Royal Scottish Museum, Chambers Street,

Fiamenco guitar and dance music by Delphine y Domingo, Brewhouse Theatre and Aris Centre, Taunton,

Cello recital by young performers, ubilee Hall, Aldeburgh, Suffolk, 5.
Barmouth Arts Festival: opening concert with the Paganini Oragon Theatre, Bar Dragon T Gwynedd, 8.

Organ recital by Simon Lindley, Leeds Parish Church, 7.30. Organ recital by Peter Wright, York Minster, 6.

Flower Festival to commemorate the bicentenary of the death of Lancelot "Capability" Brown, Fenstanton Parish Church, Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire, 9.30 to 8 (today and tomorrow).

Plymouth craft and gemstone fayre, Plymouth Exhibition Centre, Millbay, Plymouth, I to 6.

Village fayre, Crawley Down, Sussex, 2 to 10.30. Sussex, 2 to 10.30.

Antiques fair, Victoria Rooms, Bristol, 10.30 to 4.30.

Southern Country craft market, The Assembly Hall, Tunbridge Wells, 10 to 4.

Salisbury Festivities: Salisbury Rifle and Pistol Club open day, Youth Activity Centre, Wilton Road, Salisbury, 1 to 5: Theatregoers garden party, Leadenhall School, The Close, 2; children's concert, Salisbury Arts Centre, 2; Concert by the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, Salisbury Cathedral, 7.30.

#### Tomorrow

Piano recital by Peter Donohoe, St Thomas's Church, Selisbury, 8. Meiton Toy Soldiers Carnival Band, Belveir Castle, Leicester, 12.

General Antiques fair, Belgrave Hotel, Torquay, 10.30 to 4.30. Alexandra Park family fam day, Alexandra Park, Moss Side, Man-

MG Owners Club open day, Gawsworth Hall, Gawsworth, Macclesfield, 11 to 4. Victorian cricket match, Wincan on cricket ground, Somerset, 2 to 6. Vine Street Metropolitan Police

charity gala, Metropolitan Police sports ground, Imber Court, East Molesey, Surrey, 11.30 to 6.

Chaisworth county fair, Chaisworth Park, near Bakewell, Derby-shire, 10 to 6. Antiques and collectors' fair,

Hatfield Polytechnic, Hatfield, Hertfordshire, 10.30 to 6. Morris dancing, Methodist Church, Mealton, Northamptonhire, 11; Public Gardens, 12.

Last chance to see
A Victorian gasworks, Biggar
Gasworks Museum, Biggar, Lanarkshire; 11 to 5. (ends Sunday).
The Artists international Association 1933-53; Cartwright Hall,
Lister Park, Bradford; 10 to 6.
Paintings and drawings by David
Hollinshead; Usher Gellery, Lindum Road, Lincoln; 2,30 to 5.
Japanese Theatre Arts, Herbert
Art Gallery, Jordan Well, Coventry;
2 to 5.

Exhibition of arts and crafts Prescore Gallery, Cropredy, Banks ry, Oxfordshire; 10 to 5. The farmyard show, an exhibition of paintings, drawings, prints and sculpture; Falcon House Gallery, Swan Street, Baxford, Suffolk; 2 to

I am awake in the universe – Michael Cullinore, paintings and watercolours 1968 to 1922. The Minories, 74 High Street, Colchester, 2 to 6.

#### Anniversaries TODAY: Births: Matthew Books

Bruckner, Ansfelden, Anstria, 1824
Darius Milhand, composer, Aix-enProvence, 1892. Deaths: James
Wyatt, architect, Marlborough,
Wiltshire, 1813; Edvard Grieg,
Bergen, Norway, 1907.

#### Gardens open

swan pool, fine trees; 2 to 6. Dorset: Lankham House, Kennel Lane, Cattistock, 10m NW of Dorchester, 4 acre, year round

Bring and buy sale, Buckingham Movie Museum, Printers Mews, Market Hill, Buckingham, 1 to 6. Showbus '83 - 100 years of transport in Britain, Weburn Abbey, Bedfordshire, 9 to 6.

Last chance to see

The Berlin Twenties, drawings and prints by Richard Ziegler, Leicestershire Museum and Art Gallery, New Walk, Leicester, 2 to

TODAY: Births: Matthew Boultos engineer, Birmingham, 1728; Louis Heavy Sallivan, architect, Boston 1856. Deaths: Oliver Cronwell London, 1658; Ivan Turgenev (ok style, Aug 22), Bongival, France 1883; Ednard Benes, president of Czechoslovakia 1935-48, Sezimov Usti, Czechoslovakia, 1948. The Julian calendar was replaced by the Gregorian, this, day becoming Gregorian, this day becomin September 14, 1752. Britain reconized the revolted colonies of British North America as sovereign and independent state 1783. Britain and France declare war on Germany 1939. war on Germany, 1939.

herbaceous, roses, alpines; also Little Place, Clifton Hamden, combined charge; 2 to 6.

Time now to order or buy locally prepared bulbs of hyacinths and daffodils for flowering at Christmas or shortly after. Indeed one should

place the bulb order now, because as bulbs are more expensive than they

used to be, the suppliers do not carry vast stocks any more and the

ethrum once a week as necessary

In the garden

Cornwall: Trebartha, North Hill. SW of Launceston near junction of B3254 and B3257; woodland area,

Dorchester, & acre, year round cottage garden, ground cover and variegated plants a speciality; plants for sale; 2 to 6. A67, 214m W of Darlington; combined charge for 10 gardens 50p; teas at Haddon Chase, 42 derrybent; 2 to 6. Gloucestershire:

Highlands: Snowers, bright at times; wind NW, strong to gate; max temp 15 to 17C (38 to 68F). Channel Inleads, 5W England, Walker: Showers, becoming drier later; winds NW backing W strong to severe gate; max temp 18 to 17c (81 to 68F). NW England, Lake District, isle of Mas, 5W, NW Scotland, Argst, Northum twiends: Showers, some longer colliments from 13 to 15C (55 to 56F). School Gardens, Terbury, off A433 SW of Terbury, 22 acres, lawns, fine trees and shrubs; 2 to 6. Oxfordshire: Eveleph's High Street, Long Wittenham, 4m NE of Didcot; about one acre, woodland,

varieties you want may be sold out if you order late. Whitefly is always a pest in the TOMORROW reenhouse and on pot plants indoors. There are various species of whiteflies one attacks the cabbage family, others bay trees and many different plants. Spray with permethrin, malathion or py-New Moon: September 7

Mildew is now appearing on some roses and will soon appear on michaelmas daisies. A spray with a suitable fungicide once a week should control it.

Try to finish taking cuttings of geraniums, fachsias, hydrangeas and half ripe cuttings of shrubs.

Finish bedge trimming now. RH

## Roads

Midlands: Street carnival in Stourport-ou-Severn, near Worcester, 12.30pm to 4pm today; several roads closed. Birmingham Show, Perry Paric, today and tomorrow, traffic congestion likely on the A34 Walsall Road and A453 Aldridge: Washi Nos and Acts Akings Road. M6: Northbound entry sin closed at junction 2 (M69 and Covenury East); M69/M6 junction not affected.

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## Weather

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(55 to 56F).
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Outlook for tourbrow and Menday: Unsattled and windy at times with near-normal senonceptures.

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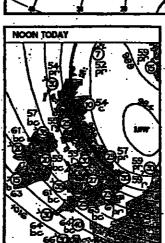
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